

# 19 HOUSES BURN IN MOVIE COLONY; LOSS IS \$800,000

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40-MILE WIND  
FANS THE FLAMES

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Fay's Residence Destroyed

By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 15.—  
A fierce wind blew fire through  
the summer homes of the movie  
colony at Malibu Beach early to-  
day, burning 19 houses, valued at  
more than \$800,000.

Only eight of the houses were  
occupied. The flames aroused the  
owners, including Marie Prevost,  
Doris, Dave Butler, film director,  
and George de Silva, song writer,  
and with week-end guests they fled  
to safety in the chill night air.

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stroyed were those of Louise Fa-  
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# FORTY MEN WORK FOUR DAYS TO GET DOG OUT OF CAVE

Fox Terrier, Hurt Fighting  
Coon, Taken From Pit at  
Mt. Pleasant, Ia.

By the Associated Press.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Ia., Dec.  
15.—Bingo, a fox terrier, was re-  
scued today from a cave where he  
had been trapped for four and a  
half days. Weak from loss of blood  
and ravenous for food, Bingo was  
lifted from a pit by his master,  
Lawrence Mills, and carried from  
the underground chamber, which  
had been made accessible by dynamite.

Bingo chased a raccoon into the  
cave last Wednesday and dropped  
into a pit out of which he could  
not climb. The raccoon gave Bingo  
a lesson in underworld fighting and  
then scampered out of the pit.

Mills, waiting at the entrance for  
Bingo to come out, heard his  
whines and started to investigate.  
He could not get into the cave far  
enough to lift the dog from the pit.  
Forty men worked almost contin-  
uously until last night to enlarge  
the entrance, but a wall of lime-  
stone burst the way.

A blast of dynamite cleared this  
obstruction, but Bingo ran for a  
burrow leading from the floor of  
the pit when the blast echoed  
through the chamber. He refused  
to leave his burrow when Mills  
reached the top of the pit. This  
morning he became hungry. Hesitant  
at first, he limped into the  
pit within reach of his master's  
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# POISON WAS USED IN PRESCRIPTION FOR MRS. SHEPARD

Dentist Testifies He Gave  
It in Mouth Wash for  
Woman Army Surgeon Is  
Accused of Murdering.

ALCOHOL ON HER  
BREATH, DOCTOR SAYS

First Physician Called to  
Treat Her Takes Stand  
for Defense at Trial of  
Her Husband.

By the Associated Press.  
KANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 15.—  
Charges by the prosecution that  
Maj. Charles A. Shepard fatally  
poisoned his wife with mercury  
were met with defense testimony  
today that another army medical  
corps officer used bichloride of  
mercury in treating Mrs. Shepard.

Maj. Shepard, 59 years old, is  
on trial for the murder of his wife.  
The Government alleges he wished  
to be free to marry Miss Grace  
Brandon, 24, San Antonio, Tex.,  
stenographer.

Maj. M. A. Rose, whose special-  
ty is dentistry, testified that under  
his direction four or five pints of  
a solution of bichloride of mercury  
was given Mrs. Shepard as a mouth  
wash up to the time of her death  
at Fort Riley, Kan., in June, 1929.

He said Mrs. Shepard suffered  
from trench mouth.

"Do you know whether you killed  
her by your treatment?" District  
Attorney Sordius M. Brewster de-  
manded in cross examining the  
witness. C. L. Kagey of defense  
counsel, objected and the question  
was ruled out by the Court with-  
out an answer from Maj. Rose.

Maj. Rose testified he was called  
to attend Mrs. Shepard about two  
weeks before her death. At that  
time, he said, there was positive  
evidence of a trench mouth infec-  
tion and none of mercurial poison-  
ing.

Suggests Natural Death.  
He said he prescribed the bi-  
chloride of mercury mouth wash  
and warned Mrs. Shepard, Shepard  
and the nurse, Clara Brown, the  
solution was poisonous and urged  
them to use it with care. He said  
he did not know Mrs. Shepard did  
not swallow any of it. The mouth  
wash was prescribed to be used  
every two waking hours and was  
administered approximately two  
weeks up to the time of Mrs.  
Shepard's death, he testified.

Maj. Rose said the bottle, labeled  
"poison," was kept on a stand near  
the bed and was in easy reach of  
the patient.

Maj. Rose said that each pint of  
the mouth wash contained about  
two grains of bichloride of mer-  
cury and that the treatment  
brought a gradual improvement in  
the condition of Mrs. Shepard's  
mouth.

After the autopsy, Maj. Rose  
stated he took smears from the  
stomach of Mrs. Shepard—which the Government  
alleges were caused by mercurial  
poisoning—and found under micro-  
scopic evidence of Vincent's angina,  
or trench mouth.

"Vincent's angina is fatal in  
some cases," he testified.

Dr. C. W. O'Dell, a Kansas City  
dentist, then described the symp-  
toms of trench mouth and in reply  
to a question about the proper  
drugs to use in treatment of the  
disease, replied: "Arsenic and  
mercurial compounds."

On cross-examination he said  
this treatment was safe, but might  
result fatally if misused.

Brewster then shot this ques-  
tion: "How many have you killed  
by this method?" The defense ob-  
jected and Brewster withdrew the  
query.

Maj. E. J. Strickler, medical of-  
ficer at Fort Riley and specialist in  
psychiatry, testified that symptoms  
he found the night Mrs. Zenana  
Shepard was stricken with her fa-  
tal illness indicated alcoholic poi-  
soning.

Maj. Strickler was the first phy-  
sician called to attend Mrs. Shep-  
ard.

Saturday Mrs. Zenana H. Curtis,  
36-year-old grandmother of Mrs.  
Shepard, testified for the defense  
that the Major's wife was a heavy  
drinker.

"The odor of alcohol was very  
strong on her breath," Maj. Strick-  
ler said after describing Mrs. Shep-  
ard's mental condition and appear-  
ance when he arrived at her bed-  
side first on May 20, 1929. "I ob-  
served nothing except vomiting  
that might be attributed to any  
other cause."

Vomiting, he added, might be a  
symptom of alcoholic poisoning.

The prosecution had presented  
expert testimony to show Mrs.

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# "Scarface Al's" Sister Married



MR. AND MRS. (MAFALDA CAPONE) JOHN MARIPOTE  
LEAVING THE Church of St. Mary, Chicago, after the ceremony yester-  
day. The two children are relatives of the bridegroom.

# TWO ROBBERS KILLED IN CHICAGO TEA ROOM

Policeman on Guard in Loop  
Restaurant Opens Fire—  
20 Customers in Place.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Two rob-  
bers were shot and killed by Po-  
liceman Raymond Schlegel in the  
Cliff Tea room in the heart of the  
Loop today.

Schlegel had been detailed to the  
tea room as a result of a robbery  
there Dec. 1.

When the men entered there  
were 20 customers at the tables.  
One of the robbers is thought to  
have been the same man who held  
up the place Dec. 1, lined the cus-  
tomers up against the wall, scooped  
almost \$200 from the cash register  
and fled.

The policeman opened fire the  
moment the robbers made known  
their intentions. One was shot four  
times in the head, the other twice.  
Customers had no time to rise  
from their tables.

# BINGHAMTON (N. Y.) BANK CLOSED, PRESIDENT SOUGHT

Action Taken Pending Complete In-  
vestigation to Conserve Assets  
For the Depositors.

By the Associated Press.  
BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Dec. 15.—  
The State Bank at Binghamton was  
taken over by the Department of  
Banking today. State Superintendent  
of Banks Broderick said: "Ser-  
ious irregularities have come to our  
attention and the bank has been  
closed in order to permit a com-  
plete investigation and to conserve  
the assets in the interests of all de-  
positors."

Police announced they were seek-  
ing Andrew J. Horvath, president  
of the bank.

# CLOUDY TONIGHT, TOMORROW, POSSIBLY OCCASIONAL SNOW

THE TEMPERATURES:  
1 a. m. .... 32 9 a. m. .... 33  
2 a. m. .... 32 10 a. m. .... 34  
3 a. m. .... 32 11 a. m. .... 34  
4 a. m. .... 32 12 noon .... 36  
5 a. m. .... 31 1 p. m. .... 36  
6 a. m. .... 31 2 p. m. .... 39  
7 a. m. .... 31 3 p. m. .... 39  
8 a. m. .... 32 4 p. m. .... 32  
Yesterday's high, 36 (1 p. m.); low, 32  
(11 a. m.).

Official forecast for St. Louis and  
vicinity: Mostly cloudy tonight and  
tomorrow, possibly occasional  
light snow; no decided change in  
temperature; lowest tonight about  
28.

Missouri: Mostly cloudy tonight  
and tomorrow; possibly occasion-  
al snow; no decided change in  
temperature.

Illinois: Cloudy tonight and  
tomorrow, with snow; somewhat  
colder tonight in extreme northeast  
portion.

Sunset 4:40. Sunrise (tomorrow)  
7:14.  
Stage of the Mississippi 1.4 feet  
at fall of 6.2.

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# SISTER OF CAPONE WEDS AMID POMP

Whether Gangster Attended  
Ceremony in Chicago Not Dis-  
closed—5 Armed Men Held.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Mafalda  
Capone, 18 years old, sister of Al-  
phonse Capone, and John J. Maripote  
were married yesterday, but  
whether the gang leader was pres-  
ent remained an unanswered ques-  
tion. There were unconfirmed  
rumors that Capone, who is listed  
No. 1 on Chicago's roll of "public  
enemies," was among those pres-  
ent, well protected by guards.  
None, however, could be found who  
would admit having seen him.

The wedding took place amid  
scenes of pomp in St. Mary's Cath-  
olic Church in Cicero, jammed with  
4000 persons while another thou-  
sand or more stood outside in the  
snow and slush to catch a glimpse  
of the activities. Five men, carry-  
ing pistols, were arrested by de-  
tectives, but the arrests were made  
so quietly that the social aspect  
of the wedding was not marred  
in the least.

Three of the men were taken  
from the crowd outside the church.  
The other two were arrested at the  
home of a friend of Ralph Capone,  
Al's older brother, who gave the  
bride away, and where the wedding  
guests gathered during the evening  
for a reception. Here was served a  
huge wedding cake, estimated to  
have cost \$200. It contained 108  
cubic feet of nutriment and was  
fashioned like an ocean-going  
yacht labelled with the honey-  
mooners' reported destination—  
Honolulu.

Mafalda was attired in an ivory  
shimmering satin gown, with train  
25 feet long. The bridegroom was  
attired in the height of fashion.  
Ralph Capone wore a silk hat and  
was otherwise appropriately  
dressed for the occasion.

The bridegroom is a brother of  
Frank Diamond, who, with Al-  
phonse and Ralph Capone, is listed  
by the Chicago Crime Commission  
as a "public enemy."

In the frequent disagreements  
arising between the President and  
the Senate, this copper-riveted Re-  
publican dictatorship of the House  
always has been the President's  
principal ace in the hole.

On the question of a choice be-  
tween the Senate and House bills,  
majority vote will decide, and to-  
day's result might suggest that the  
Republicans can count on a major-  
ity. However, the fact is that many  
Republican members who stood  
with their leaders today on the  
new question of voting for the  
\$200,000 fund or against it, will  
be forced by sentiment at home to  
vote for the Senate figure when  
confronted with a choice.

Cochran Makes Protest.  
In conformance with the prear-  
ranged plan, and under the ironclad  
House rules, Speaker Longworth at  
2:05 p. m. recognized Representative  
Haugen (Rep.), Iowa, chair-  
man of the House Committee on  
Agriculture, who moved to sus-  
pend the rules and pass the House  
bill.

Representative John Cochran  
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# HOOVER GETS REBUFF IN HOUSE ON DROUTH BILL

Vote 205 to







RIGHT AIR MAIL PILOT  
SAVED BY PARACHUTE

John M. Pricer, flying the  
air mail between St. Louis  
and Evansville, Ind., made a para-  
chute jump last night when his  
plane became fog-bound near Gray-  
ville, Ill., near the Indiana line.  
Pricer landed in a tree top and  
climbed to the ground without  
injury. The plane crashed into a  
some distance away. Pricer  
the switch before jumping and the  
ship did not burn. The pilot  
recovered the mail, which was re-  
turned undamaged, and took it to  
Evansville by automobile.

His report to officers of In-  
dianapolis Airlines, Pricer said, en-  
countered a fog, which he was  
in unexpecting, as he had  
received a report of fairly clear  
weather earlier in the night. At-  
tempting to find a light, he  
was forced to abandon hope of land-  
ing the plane, and jumped. He  
estimated the altitude of the plane  
was less than 100 feet when he left  
the plane. Pricer is married and resides  
in Chicago.

Pricer left Lambert-St. Louis  
at 10:50 p. m., encountering a  
short time later. He was fly-  
ing the Caterpillar Club, an or-  
ganization of flyers who have saved  
lives by parachute jumps. Two  
other members of the club, Lindbergh's four parachute  
jumps were made while flying the  
Chicago-Evansville air mail route.  
Pricer's membership in the  
club dates to his army  
days in Texas.

**Firm Employees' Pay Cut**  
Associated Press.  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 15.—  
Employees of the  
Coca-Cola Bottling Co.,  
St. Louis, are earning more than  
10 percent on Jan. 1, it was an-  
nounced today. The company em-  
ployed 15,000 persons.

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**HEAD, 135 SAVED, MISSING WHEN BOAT BLOWS UP**

Explosion and Fire Sink Glass Bottomed Vessel on Excursion to Marine Gardens Near Miami, Fla.

**ORCHESTRA TRIES TO STEM PANIC**

Pilot Runs Steamer Into Shoal Water Where It Goes Down—Passenger Criticizes Crew.

Associated Press.  
MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 15.—  
Three persons lost their lives in the explosion and fire aboard the glass-bottomed boat Eureka II yesterday, an unofficial check disclosed today. Three others are listed as possibly missing, and 135 passengers on the boat had been safely to shore.

The bodies brought here are those of H. C. Grimm, 69 years old, of Cook, Neb., a passenger; Clarence Vine, 20, Haverhill, Mass., a deckhand; and Mrs. Marie Sawyer, 41, Miami, who was killed by a slipper of rescue boats, which overturned shortly before noon. After an all-night search, reported by only small bits of wreckage floating on the water in the vicinity of the disaster.

Certainly as to the exact num-  
ber of persons aboard the boat  
it is virtually impossible for  
authorities to determine. Whether  
it had had 135 persons were  
aboard.

Authorities thought it probable  
that Mrs. Mary Miller of Milwau-  
kee, Frank J. Keefe of Providence,  
R. I., and J. S. Hagg of Pomona,  
Cal., were aboard, but nothing has  
been heard of them today. Man-  
agers of hotels where they regis-  
tered said these three had planned  
to go on the excursion trip yester-  
day and had not returned today. It  
was not definitely known, however,  
that they were aboard.

The Eureka II, which was re-  
turning from an excursion to the  
marine gardens, 15 miles out,  
had more than 20 feet of water  
over the explosion and resulting  
fire had forced all to jump into the  
sea.

A scene of wild confusion in  
which a three-piece orchestra tried  
frantically to drown the shrieks  
of women and children and stem  
the panic was described by surviv-  
ers of the crowd that jammed the  
two decks of the 105-foot boat.  
Shook from the engine room, on  
the craft's return trip here, they  
first gave notice of danger  
and was followed by three explo-  
sions.

Four of the survivors, including  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chapman of  
St. Louis, were treated for expo-  
sure at hospitals.

Among those rescued in Alberta  
Yacht of East St. Louis.

Slipping the fire through binocu-  
lar, P. W. Miller, retired grocery  
manager of Cincinnati, abandoned  
a pleasure trip and carried 83 of  
the survivors ashore on his yacht,  
the Lois Ann. He related how his  
passengers and crew worked like troo-  
pers pulling men, women and chil-  
dren aboard.

**Yacht Saves Survivors.**  
The crew of the yacht Dorthea,  
which picked up 30 persons, took  
a baby from the arms of a father  
who said "save my baby" when he  
learned the Dorthea could not care  
for additional survivors. A child  
was tossed to the deck of a fish-  
ing tug and brought here and re-  
sisted with its parents, who were  
rescued by another craft.

First Mate Al Styles, brother of  
Capt. Clarence Styles of the Eureka  
II, said all passengers had an-  
nounced to put on life preservers  
when the first explosion occurred  
and that there were more than  
enough life preservers past me-  
dium. "I was in the engine room,"  
he said, "there was a call for fire  
extinguishers and the chief en-  
gineer was pumping water at the  
time the first explosion occurred.  
My brother headed the boat into  
shoal water, which explains the  
small loss of life."

The boat was valued at \$75,000.  
**Fireworks Tells of Panic.**  
Fred L. Norman, New York City  
police sergeant, said the boat was  
approximately two miles off Bug  
light on the return trip to Miami  
when the first explosion occurred.  
"The boat had headed back from  
the trip about 20 minutes," he said.  
"I looked at my watch when the  
first explosion occurred. It was  
10 o'clock. My wife, son and I  
were in the upper deck when I  
saw some smoke pouring out of  
the engine room. I rushed to the door  
where I was met by a member  
of the crew. I told him, I think he  
was the engineer, to close the door.  
The whole crew seemed to be  
trying to pick up around the pan-  
el. People began to rush madly  
toward the front and back of  
the boat, fore and aft, screaming  
and crying. No one gave orders or tried  
to organize the situation. Two men  
started to pull down life preservers  
from between decks and dis-  
tributing them. I saw no lifeboats.  
The members of a three-piece  
orchestra kept playing like heroes.

**ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH**  
**Famous Athlete and Bride**

**CHARLES W. PADDON**, once "the world's fastest human," former U. S. C. track star and internationally famous sprinter, acquired a running mate when he promised to love, honor and cherish Mrs. Neva Prisk Malaby of Pasadena. This photograph was made just after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents.

They were a piano player, a saxo-  
phone player and a drummer and  
they tried valiantly to save the situ-  
ation. The men in the orchestra  
were among the last to leave the  
boat. The members of the crew  
were among the first to leave.

Norman said he believed he had  
been in the water about 20 min-  
utes when a gasoline tank blew  
up.

"Some 15 or 20 minutes later, the  
Dorthea arrived and picked up  
my wife, my son and myself," he  
said.

**HOOVER REBUFFED IN THE HOUSE ON DROUTH AID BILL**  
Continued From Page One.

(Dem.) St. Louis, "made a fiery  
protest against submitting the mat-  
ter under the 'rag rule,' which  
prohibited the offering of amend-  
ments. The protest was futile, and  
Longworth allotted 20 minutes to  
each side for discussion.

Haugen mumbled a few sen-  
tences which were inaudible a few  
feet away and then yielded to Rep-  
resentative Aswell (Dem.), Louisi-  
ana, who launched a vehement at-  
tack on the House bill and on Sec-  
retary of Agriculture Hyde, whom  
he accused of perjury, in first ask-  
ing for a \$40,000,000 appropriation  
and at the last moment re-  
ducing his request to \$25,000,000.

"It is the first time in my knowl-  
edge that the Committee on Agri-  
culture has submitted to political  
hijacking at the hands of a Cabinet  
member," Aswell shouted.

"I am not surprised that Speaker  
Longworth, born to wealth and ac-  
customed to the atmosphere of lux-  
ury, should fail to feel sympathy  
for the drouth sufferers and should  
allow himself to be used in this re-  
fuge scheme, although 60 of the  
80 counties in his State (Ohio) are  
in distress.

**"Loose Talk About 'Dole'."**  
There has been a lot of loose  
talk about 'a dole' in connection  
with this bill. As a matter of fact,  
the money would be turned over to  
the Secretary of Agriculture, to be  
distributed where needed. Have  
leaders on his own party no trust  
in Mr. Hyde?

"The proper, regular and decent  
thing would be to bring the House  
and Senate bills in here, submit  
them to a fair and free discussion  
and decide them on their merits.  
The question here is whether we  
are to have a fair and free debate,  
and an opportunity to decide, after  
adequate discussion, what sum is  
required for relief. I appeal to the  
independent men and women on  
this floor to vote against this re-  
fuge rule."

**"Turn Him Over to Kinkofo."**  
Purnell (Rep.), Indiana, carrying  
the burden of the fight for the Re-  
publican leaders, declared that more  
was involved than the amount of  
money to be appropriated. The  
real principle at stake, he said, was  
whether needy farmers were to be  
fed out of the public treasury.

"I am not wedded to the figure  
of \$25,000,000 as against \$40,000,000,"  
he said, "but I am opposed to  
setting a precedent for purchasing  
food for farmers with Government  
funds. Once you do that, there is  
no reason why you should not ap-  
propriate funds to feed every un-  
employed man in the cities.

"It seems to me that the Demo-  
crats are trying to convert this into  
a farm-relief bill instead of an or-  
dinary seed loan. If a farmer isn't  
able to buy food for his family, he  
doesn't impress as a very sound  
subject for a Government loan. The  
thing to do with such a man is to  
turn him over to his neighbors and  
kinkofo."

**"How to Get the Money."**  
Representative John Garner of  
Texas, the Democratic floor leader,  
followed. "The one issue to be de-  
cided by this 40-minute debate is  
whether you will permit the House  
to consider an important piece of  
legislation on its merits, after a  
free discussion," he shouted. "I  
submit that this is no way for the  
House of Representatives to legis-  
late.

"If it is money that you are wor-  
rying about, I can tell you how to  
get it. By making a 5 per cent in-  
crease in the tax on incomes of  
\$100,000 a year or more, you can  
add \$108,000,000 a year to the reve-  
nue of the Government. Persons  
whose incomes are in excess of  
\$100,000 a year should not object  
to paying a little more if it will feed  
the starving.

"If you tell me that there is a  
question of principle that prevents  
us from feeding hungry women  
and children, I tell you now that  
I am opposed to it. I will vote to  
feed them against any principle  
that has been expounded on this  
floor. What you gentlemen on the  
Republican side are trying to do  
is make a fraud of the farmer.  
Suppose he does borrow the money

**CHANGE OF VENUE IS DENIED PIERSON IN ARSON MURDER**

**Circuit Judge Taylor Denies Former Buckingham Annex Owner Can Get Fair Trial Here.**

Ralph Pierson's plea for a change  
of venue in his trial on charges of  
first degree murder and arson,  
growing out of the Buckingham  
Hotel Annex fire of Dec. 5, 1927,  
was denied today by Circuit Judge  
Taylor. The Judge held that Pier-  
son could have a fair trial in St.  
Louis.

Judge Taylor set the cases of  
Pierson, Lewis E. Balson and R.  
H. Cotham, under the same  
charges, for Jan. 15. At that time  
it is expected, Pierson will go to  
trial, and the other cases will be  
continued.

Pierson and Balson, co-owners of  
the Buckingham Annex, have  
denied any knowledge of the arson  
plot alleged by the State, which  
charges that the Annex was burned  
to collect insurance. Seven deaths  
resulted from the fire. Cotham,  
who was night clerk of the Buck-  
ingham Hotel, has made a confes-  
sion, and is Pierson's accuser.

Andrew B. Meadows, night watch-  
man of the Annex, who confessed  
complicity with Cotham, was con-  
victed of murder Oct. 17, and was  
sentenced recently to be hanged.  
The arson-murder charge dates  
from last January, when the two  
employees were arrested, more than  
two years after the fire.

**Judge Discusses Prejudice.**  
Judge Taylor, in his decision, re-  
viewed the plea of Charles M.  
Hay, Pierson's lawyer, who sought  
to prove the existence of prejudice  
which would prevent a fair trial  
for Pierson here.

"The defendant offered the com-  
ment of the metropolitan dailies  
of St. Louis concerning the burn-  
ing of the hotel and the loss of  
lives," Judge Taylor said. "It is  
manifest to my satisfaction that the  
witnesses who testified either for  
or against the motion, and who  
had come to some conclusion, based  
on their conclusions either directly or  
indirectly on the comment of the  
newspapers.

"The same papers have a wide  
circulation in the judicial districts  
of Missouri, where stories about  
the burning of the hotel have been  
read and, no doubt much comment  
has resulted, and some feeling  
against those involved.

"As I size up the situation, there  
is no feeling and prejudice exist-  
ing against the perpetrators of this  
crime, whoever they may be. But  
this feeling is due to the grow-  
some result of the burning of the  
hotel, rather than to any individual  
charged with it.

**No Further Appeal.**  
"I am convinced that in a popu-  
lation of \$22,000, with the liberal  
indulgence which the law allows in  
the selection of a jury, the defend-  
ant can have a fair and impartial  
jury to hear and determine the  
charge against him."

Judge Taylor's decision is not  
subject to appeal at this time. The  
defense, in cases where change of  
venue is asked for and denied, has  
the privilege of noting an excep-  
tion, and, in case of conviction, can  
cite this point in its motion for a  
new trial and in its appeal.

**DIANE ELLIS, ACTRESS, DIES IN INDIA ON HONEYMOON**

Bride of Young Millionaire Went From Typewriter to Stardom in Movies.

By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 15.—  
A cablegram received here today  
said Mrs. Stephen C. Millett, the  
former Diane Ellis, Hollywood mo-  
tion picture actress, died in Ma-  
draz, India.

The actress was married in  
Paris, France, two months ago to  
Stephen C. Millett, young million-  
aire, and they left for a honey-  
moon which was to have brought  
them to Los Angeles by way of In-  
dia, Egypt and Spain.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frank El-  
lis, parents of the young woman,  
said the cablegram gave no details.  
The actress was born in Los  
Angeles and after being graduated  
from local schools worked in a  
studio as a stenographer. In 1923  
she was chosen by a director who  
saw her at work at her typewriter  
to play a feature part in a picture.  
During her brief career on the  
screen she played in "Is Zat So,"  
"Cradle Snatchers," "Leatherneck"  
and "Chain Lightning."

**200 MEMBERS OF BOYS' CLUB TO SING CHRISTMAS CAROLS**

Group Is Practicing Daily Under Prof. Kallnowski of St. Louis University.

More than 200 members of the  
Boys' Club, Ninth street and Park  
avenue, will participate in the  
Christmas eve caroling groups  
which will go about the city, paus-  
ing at will wherever a light in a  
window welcomes them.

Prof. Walter E. Kallnowski of the  
music department of St. Louis  
University is conducting daily prac-  
tices in the club's gymnasium. The  
club is a non-sectarian neighbor-  
hood organization of which the  
Rev. Charles P. Maxwell is pres-  
ident.

Hundreds of other young singers,  
representing schools, churches and  
other groups, have enlisted as  
carolers and are being assigned  
routes by the Christmas Carols As-  
sociation. Experienced singers will  
take part in special carol programs  
in downtown St. Louis Dec. 23  
and 24.

**INQUEST IN BICYCLE KILLING**

Accident Verdict in Death of Mar-  
vin Kirk, 15 Years Old.

A Coroner's verdict of accident  
was returned today in the death  
Saturday night of Marvin Kirk, 15-  
year-old delivery boy, after his bi-  
cycle collided with a coal truck  
driven by Elmer Jones, Negro, of  
2629 A. Lawrence avenue, at Locust  
and Taylor avenues. The boy was  
employed by Gasen's drug store,  
223 South Euclid avenue.

The boy rode his bicycle, with  
no light, into the path of the truck,  
according to testimony. He died  
of a fractured skull.

**STIRRING FUNERAL FOR "ANGEL GABRIEL"**

Negro Players of "Green Pastures" Bid Comrade of the Stage "Goodbye, Old Man"

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—In Har-  
lem, where they refer to the 1930  
Pulitzer prize play as "the com-  
pany," funeral services were con-  
ducted yesterday for the big, genial  
black man whose own people  
months ago dropped his real name  
and called him after the role he  
played, "Gabriel."

More than 1000 persons filled  
one of the Negro section's largest  
churches, where for two hours and  
a half eulogies were read, hymns  
were sung, and rituals intoned over  
the body of Charles Wesley Hill,  
the "Angel Gabriel" of "Green Pas-  
tures," Marc Connelly's drama of  
the Negro's conception of Heaven.  
Hill was killed by a taxicab  
Wednesday.

Lead by Little Black Cherub.  
Daniel L. Haynes, the "Adam" of  
the play, was master of ceremon-  
ies, and at the end the Negro play-  
ers, led by the Little black cherub  
who gets a fishbone stuck in his  
throat at the heavenly fish fry of  
the first act—filed tearfully by the  
casket.

Marc Connelly occupied a place  
of honor in the pulpit, with Har-  
rison, Haynes, and several Negro  
preachers. In reserved pews sat  
the staffs of the producer and the  
theater in which "Green Pastures"  
is playing, together with men and  
women identified with the stage.

The service was a stirring mix-  
ture of emotion, naive and love  
of color and ceremony, with some-  
thing of the reserve of the North.  
There were long and fiery or-  
ations, two Masonic rituals, with  
uniforms, awards and incense—all  
more dramatic somehow than when  
used in white ceremonies. The  
service was conducted in terms of  
"Green Pastures." Hill was never  
mentioned by any name other than  
"Gabriel" except in the ritualistic  
ceremonies.

**Everyone Sings the Old Hymns.**  
Two large choirs—the white-  
robed choir of the church and the  
choir that sings the spirituals in  
the play—led the audience—every  
man, woman and child of which  
apparently could sing—again and  
again in the old hymns,  
"Lead, Kindly Light," "Abide With  
Me" and "Nearer, My God, to  
Thee." And while white members  
of the audience sat in rapt silence,  
a Negro here and there would utter  
a wild, piercing scream.

But more moving than all was  
the brief and broken tribute of  
Harrison, "The Lawd God Himsel",

**DEAN OF CATHEDRAL**

**EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL ANNOUNCES NEW DEAN**

The Rev. S. E. Sweet, Colum-  
bus, O., to Take Post at  
Christ Church in February.

The Rev. Sidney Edwin Sweet,  
newly chosen Dean of Christ  
Church Cathedral, will take up his  
duties about the middle of Febru-  
ary. He will succeed Bishop Co-  
adjutor William Scarlett, who has  
continued to serve as Dean since  
his consecration as Bishop last  
May.

The Rev. Mr. Sweet will be the  
fourth Dean since Christ Church  
was made a cathedral in 1888.  
Dean Montgomery Schuyler was  
the first, Dean Carroll M. Davis  
the second and Dean Scarlett the  
third.

The new Dean is 47 years old, a  
graduate of Yale University and  
of the Episcopal Theological  
School in Cambridge, Mass. He  
did pastoral work in Jersey City,  
N. J., before going in 1918 to Col-  
umbus, O., where he is rector of  
St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Be-  
sides holding diocesan offices, he  
is chairman of the Social Service  
Commission of the Ohio Council of  
Churches, president of the Urban  
League, and an official of the Boy  
Scouts and the Cancer Clinic.

Dean Sweet is married and has  
two sons, the older a student in  
Yale. He is a son of Edwin For-  
rest Sweet, Yale '71, a former  
member of Congress from Mich-  
igan, and Assistant Secretary of  
Commerce under President Wilson.

Bishop Scarlett's personal ac-  
quaintance with the Rev. Mr. Sweet  
in the Bishop's home city of Col-  
umbus, led to his selection. He  
has preached in the Cathedral sev-  
eral times in recent years. The  
chapter of Christ Church Cathed-  
ral elected the new Dean at a  
meeting last month, but the an-  
nouncement was withheld until his  
acceptance was received, and was  
made by Bishop Scarlett yesterday.

The Episcopal diocesan family  
dinner, marking the end of the  
every-member canvass of the St.  
Louis churches, will be held to-  
morrow at 6:30 p. m. in Bishop  
Tuttle Memorial. Reports will be  
received from the parishes. Mrs.  
John F. Shepley, president of the  
diocesan women's auxiliary, is in  
charge of the dinner.

**Aged Pair Overcome by Gas.**  
John Henrich, 73 years old, and  
his wife, Barbara, 72, were over-  
come by gas at their home, 3362A  
South Broadway, yesterday when a  
kettle of water boiled over and  
extinguished the flames of a gas  
burner. They are expected to re-  
cover.

**THOMPSON'S BROADCAST OK**

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The  
Radio Commission today denied  
the request of Robert I. Randolph,  
president of the Chicago Associa-  
tion of Commerce, that it prohibit  
the use of Chicago radio stations  
in furthering Mayor Thompson's  
prosperity drive.

Randolph had complained  
Thompson's contest plan was a lot-  
tery, and asked that radio stations  
be prohibited from allowing their  
facilities for use in it. Counsel for  
the Mayor obtained a ruling from  
postoffice department officials that  
the proposals did not constitute a  
lottery. "The commission has not  
had occasion to alter the position  
taken by it relative to the use of  
radio broadcasting stations in con-  
ducting lotteries," the commission's  
letter to Randolph said.

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**Capeskins Fur Lined \$6**  
**Chamois Slip-Ons \$4**  
**Saratoga Goat Skin \$5**  
**Gray Suede Black Trim \$3.75**



## MAN AND WOMAN INVADE MISSOURI JAIL, KILL KEEPER

**Make Unsuccessful Effort  
to Open Women's Cell-  
block After Slaying Act-  
ing Jailer at Carthage.**

By the Associated Press.  
CARTHAGE, Mo., Dec. 15.—  
Sheriff Harry Stevens directed a  
search today for a young man and  
a woman who yesterday entered  
the Jasper County jail, killed Othel  
E. Bray, 50-year-old turnkey with  
his own revolver, and fled after  
failing to open the women's cell  
block. A hat and a woman's shoe  
heel, lost in their flight, were  
clues. No prisoners escaped.  
A trusty and John Dyer, 17, son  
of George Dyer, jailer, were fired  
on by the slayer, who, with his  
woman companion, about 24 years  
old, escaped in a small coupe bear-  
ing Kansas license tags.  
Young Dyer, who had been sit-

ting with Bray, said the attack  
was without warning. The slayer  
and his companion, he related,  
asked to see Bill Daggett of Jop-  
lin, Mo., who had been released  
Friday after questioning in a petty  
larceny case.  
As Bray, acting jailer, turned to  
the jail record, the man seized  
Bray's revolver. "Here," Bray  
cried, "you can't do that."  
The visitor shot three times  
when the turnkey attacked, two  
bullets piercing Bray's heart.  
Young Dyer fled to the jail arse-  
nal. A bullet struck as he slammed  
the door.  
The slayer and the woman seized  
Bray's keys, unlocked one door and  
raced upstairs, where seven women  
were confined. After rattling the  
corridor door there a moment, the  
two fled.  
A special Deputy Sheriff, Jesse  
Dome, arrived at the scene. "You  
keep out of this," the slayer or-  
dered. Dome heeded the advice of  
the man with the revolver.  
A trusty, attracted by the shots,  
sealed the barred wire jail yard  
fence as the killer fired once at  
him.

Deputy Sheriff Shot Dead.  
By the Associated Press.  
BELVIDERE, Ill., Dec. 15.—  
Harry W. Wilkison, Deputy Sheriff,  
died today after being shot Satur-  
day before he could raise his hands  
in compliance with a holdup man's  
demand during the robbery of a  
store at Herbert.  
The robber rifled the cash regis-  
ter of \$230 and checks and escaped  
from a Sheriff's posse.

## LAUNDRY WATCHMAN SHOT BY BURGLAR DIES

**Ernest E. Conners, Wood  
River, Fired on When  
Investigating Noise.**

Ernest E. Conners, wounded  
Wednesday night by a burglar, died  
yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital  
at Alton. A watchman at the  
Madison County Laundry in Wood  
River, Conners was shot when he  
left the boiler room to investigate  
a noise and met a burglar at the  
door.  
The burglar fired one shot and  
fled. Unarmed, Conners was un-  
able to put up any resistance. He  
made his way to a telephone, called  
policemen and collapsed from a  
bullet wound in the abdomen. He  
had been at work as a watchman  
only five days, hired because of  
the management's fear of a bur-  
glary.  
Conners, 57 years old, resided at  
211 Ferguson avenue, Wood River,  
with his wife.

Two Boy Skaters Drowned.  
REPUBLIC, Mich., Dec. 15.—  
Two 13-year-old boys, Reino Peto  
and Wilo Arpiansen, were drowned  
yesterday when they fell through  
the ice while skating on the Michi-  
gamme River near here.

## BALTIMORE MOVIES OPENED ON SUNDAY TO AID JOBLESS

Police Rescued State Closing Law  
for Day; \$50,000 or More  
Cleared.  
By the Associated Press.  
BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 15.—  
Every motion picture theater in  
the city was open yesterday for the  
sake of charity, the State Sunday-  
closing law being suspended by  
police. It was the first time since  
the World War that performances  
for pay were permitted on Sunday.  
During the war a few shows were  
given to aid the Red Cross.  
Managers of neighborhood  
houses reported the matinee  
crowds were two to five times the  
average for week days, and heavy  
attendance was reported by the  
downtown theaters.

The entire proceeds are to go to  
a special fund for unemployment  
relief, to be administered by Police  
Commissioner Charles D. Galtier  
in co-operation with philanthropic  
agencies. Estimates were that \$50,-  
000 or more had been cleared. Vir-  
tually all employees gave their  
services free.  
The Sunday opening was opposed  
by the City Baptist and Methodist  
Ministers' conference.  
At Cumberland the City Council  
had refused to sanction Sunday  
movies for a charity fund, but one  
house was open and contributions  
were collected from spectators.

# STIX, BAER & FULLER

## GRAND LEADER

### Downstairs Store

**The Christmas Store  
for Thrifty People**



## MEN'S ROBES

**For Hours of Comfort ...  
Wide Variety ... Superior  
Quality ... Low Priced**

**\$5.95 Rayon Robes \$4.29**

Lustrous rayon and cotton  
Robes, beautiful Jacquard de-  
signs; gray, blue, red, tan, purple and amber  
colors. Satin-lined collar. All sizes.

**Beacon Robes ... \$5.98**

Warm, comfortable Robes, made  
of Beacon robing; newest pat-  
terns, stripes and checks; wide selection of  
colors; braid trimmed; large shawl collar.  
All sizes.

**Brocade Robes .. \$6.95**

Handsome Robes in all the pop-  
ular new shades ... wide selec-  
tion of patterns. Skinner satin collars and  
trimmings. All sizes.

**Specials  
\*\* for \*\*  
Tuesday**

**Silver-Plated  
Tableware, 10c**

Included are tea, dessert,  
table, soup and bouillon  
spoons. Oyster, salad and  
dinner forks. Knives,  
sugar shells, butter spread-  
ers and butter knives. Can  
be made into 26-piece sets.

**Child's Bloomer  
and Vest Set, 85c**

Resist-run Bloomers and  
Vests to match; medallion  
trimmed; pink or peach;  
sizes 4 to 14 years.

**39-In. All-Silk  
Flat Crepe, 87c**

WASHABLE; large color  
selection including street  
shades, pastel shades,  
white, black. For dresses,  
slips, lingerie, etc.

**36-Inch White  
Broadcloth, 15c**

Fine mercerized white  
Broadcloth; firm, closely  
woven; softly finished; for  
shirts, uniforms, etc.

**Dull Finish  
Chiffon Hose, 87c**

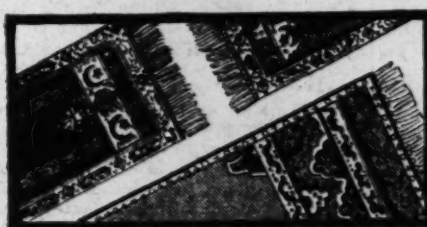
Sheer weight, silk to top;  
picot tops; Halse reinforced  
at wearing points. Slight  
irregularities of a good grade  
Hosiery.

**7-Pc. All- linen  
Breakfast Sets, \$1**

54x54-inch cloth and six  
napkins to match; hemmed;  
deep, fast colored yellow  
borders. Just 200—so shop  
early.

**Women's Cordu-  
roy Slippers, 69c**

Orchid, rose and American  
beauty. Silk pompons.  
Sizes 4 to 8. An ideal Slip-  
per to match corduroy  
robes.



## GIFT TABLE RUNNERS

**—IMPORTED—**

**95c to \$2.95**

Heavy moquette table runners, lovely  
for gift-giving for they are so colorful  
and useful about the home. For tables,  
pianos, buffets, etc. Several attractive  
color combinations. 36 to 72 inches long.

## A Sale of Women's Gowns and Pajamas

**Gift  
Silk  
Undies  
\$1.98**

**Special Purchase ...  
Excellent Variety  
So Low Priced  
88c**

Favored night garments  
featured Tuesday at rare  
savings. PAJAMAS of  
embroidered cotton crepe  
... broadcloth trimmed  
in prints ... cotton crepe  
prints trimmed in solid  
colors. Tuck-in style and  
one-piece styles.  
GOWNS, embroidered  
cotton crepes, printed  
flannelettes, flat crepes  
and Philippines. Make  
such practical gifts.

**2-Candle Table Lamps**  
So popular are these two-candle Table  
Lamps. Metal base with crystal onyx  
insert. Complete with neat parchment  
paper shade. **\$2**

**Imported Necklaces**  
Our own importation from Paris ...  
Necklaces and Chokers of various  
styles. Make such smart gifts. Ex-  
cellent selection, mostly one of a  
style. Packed in gift box. **59c**

**Men's Wool Felt Spats**  
A pair of Spats would make a  
thoughtful gift. Well made with  
strong leather straps. Fawn, light  
and dark gray. Sizes 6 to 11. Others  
are low priced at \$1.65. **\$1.25**



## Let's Give Blankets

**Because things for the home  
are such welcome gifts, we  
suggest you say "Merry  
Christmas" with a warm  
Blanket**

**—\$2.28 Pair**

Heavy-weight, softly finished cot-  
ton and wool Blankets ... 70x90  
inches. Tan and white plaids with  
pink or blue borders.

**—\$2.77 Pair**

Cotton-wool-mixed Blankets in  
lavender and white plaids. Neatly  
bound; softly finished. 66x90  
inches. Excellent values.

**—\$5.95 Pair**

Pure lamb's wool Blankets in at-  
tractively colored plaids; neatly  
bound; 70x90-inch size.

**—\$5.85 Each**

Beautiful Blankets, mostly wool,  
woven with fancy Jacquard bor-  
ders and fancy striped centers;  
neatly bound; rose, green and  
blue. 72x84 inches.

**3 o'Clock  
Special**

**27x54-Inch \$2.19**

**Axminsters**

**Regularly \$2.98**  
Handsome all-over patterns, beau-  
tifully colored; neat contrasting  
borders. Choose these attractive  
Rugs for gift giving.

## STIX, BAER & FULLER



**Sale of  
Men's  
Sweaters**

300 Regularly \$10

300 Regularly \$7.50

**\$5.95**

Only through an  
exceptional special  
purchase is this gift-  
buying opportunity  
possible. The Swea-  
ters of wool yarns,  
in Newport brown,  
beaver, Scotch blue,  
Oxford, Yorkshire  
and golden tan. Sizes  
36 to 50.  
(Sweaters—Street Floor.)

**Sale Men's  
Hose**

840 Regularly \$1

360 Regularly 75c

**48c**

Silk - and - rayon  
Hose of first quality  
... the discontinued  
styles of a national-  
ly known manufac-  
turer. An excep-  
tional opportunity to  
buy gifts at savings.  
(Hosiery and Thrift Ave.)  
Telephone Orders Filled

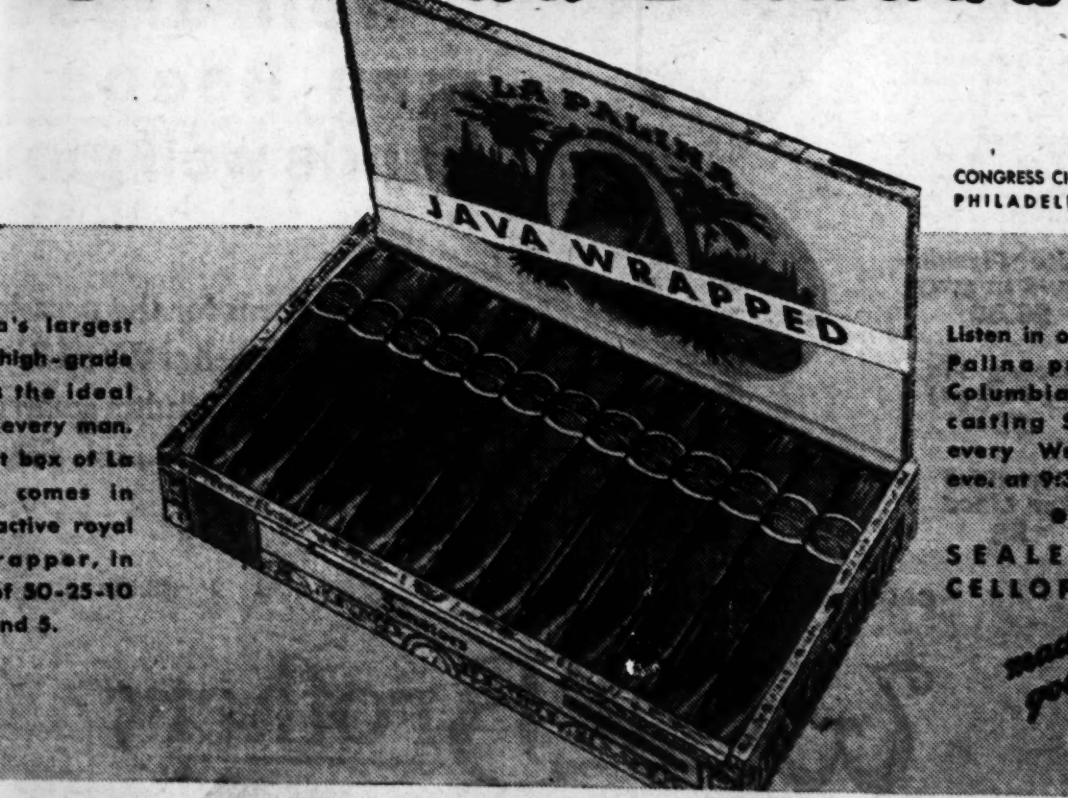
**Hickok  
Belt Sets**

**Complete for Only**

**\$1**

Hickok Sets con-  
sisting of initial  
buckle and leather  
belt, packed in spe-  
cial gift boxes.  
(Thrift Avenue—  
Street Floor.)

## What a Gift! LA PALINA



**PETER HAUPTMANN TOBACCO CO.**  
500 N. 4th Street, St. Louis, Mo.

CONGRESS CIGAR CO., Inc.  
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Listen in on the La  
Palina program,  
Columbia Broad-  
casting System,  
every Wednesday  
even at 9:30 P. M.

**SEALED IN  
CELLOPHANE**

*made  
proof*



Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. Daily Until Christmas

See Our Other Announcement on Opposite Page

# IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME AT STIX, BAER & FULLER

Your Last Opportunity  
to Have Christmas  
Cards Personalized

Only a few days more to order personal Christmas Cards. Select from our outstanding assortment. Twenty-five cards with envelopes, \$1.95 up. (Alais 1—Street Floor.)



It's Give  
Blankets

Things for the home  
welcome gifts, we  
you say "Merry  
Christmas" with a warm  
Blanket

2.28 Pair

Eight, softly finished cotton-wool Blankets... 70x80 and white plaids with blue borders.

2.77 Pair

Cool-mixed Blankets in and white plaids. Neatly softly finished. 66x80. Excellent values.

5.95 Pair

Wool Blankets in all colored plaids; neatly finished. 80x80-inch size.

5.85 Each

Blankets, mostly wool, with fancy Jacquard border-fancy striped centers; round; rose, green and red. 84 inches.

Clock  
Special

1/2 Inch \$2.19

Watches

regularly \$2.98

all over patterns, beautifully; neat contrasting Choose these attractive gift giving.

Men's  
Shirts



SPECIAL!

Women's  
Miss Shoes

W. Were \$5.85

W. Were \$5.45

W. Were \$4.95

3.95

no know and wear Cor-will certainly want to take of this offering. sizes 3 to 8 in the lot, every style. Ties, Oxfords, Pumps in kid, patent suede. Some are gen-



Sale of  
Men's  
Sweaters

300 Regularly \$10

300 Regularly \$7.50

\$5.95

Only through an exceptional special purchase is this gift-buying opportunity possible. The Sweaters of wool yarns, in Newport brown, beaver, Scotch blue, Oxford, Yorkshire and golden tan. Sizes 36 to 50. (Sweaters—Street Floor.)

Sale Men's  
Hose

840 Regularly \$1

360 Regularly 75c

48c

Silk - and - rayon Hose of first quality... the discontinued styles of a nationally known manufacturer. An exceptional opportunity to buy gifts at savings. (Hosiery and Thrift Ave.) Telephone Orders Filled

Hickok  
Belt Sets

Complete for Only

\$1

Hickok Sets consisting of initial buckle and leather belt, packed in special gift boxes. (Thrift Avenue—Street Floor.)

## SEMI-ANNUAL SALE OF DRESSES

Begins Tuesday—Choose From Hundreds  
of New Frocks... Values Are Exceptional

Six hundred NEW Frocks... specially purchased for this semi-annual event... promise you a gloriously new, colorful selection of smartest holiday fashions when the sale begins at 9 o'clock Tuesday! New bright Day-time Dresses... Afternoon Frocks for bridge parties... Frocks for all the gay informal affairs of the holiday season. All so exceptional in value that you'll be wise in choosing several at the sale price—

\$12<sup>75</sup>

Sizes for Everyone!

For Misses... 14 to 20

For Junior-Misses... 13 to 17

For Women... 34 to 44

For Shorter Women, 16 1/2-26 1/2



Vivid Greens

Golden

Yellows

Reds & Blues

Black

Navy

Pastel Colors

Printed Crepes

Bright Cantons

Dark Cantons

Sheer Chiffons

Dark Frocks

With Light

Tops

(Third Floor.)

## Italian Tooled Bags

2500 Specially Purchased  
for This Sale and Shown  
for the First Time Tuesday!



You'll be making a most distinctive gift... and at the same time saving emphatically... with every Bag you choose from this collection! Fifteen beautiful styles... each one in typical Florentine effects—many with the very smart laced edges. You'll agree that they are most amazing values at the remarkably low price of

\$2.19

Multicolor,  
Brown, Tan, Blue,  
Green and Red  
Effects

(Handbags and Square  
17, Street Floor.)

## This New Doll Is Olive Helen

She Is Only One of the Hundreds in Toytown!

Select Her for  
a Perfect Gift!

She Costs Only

\$3.98

Some little girl will be hilariously happy on Christmas morning when she finds Olive Helen under the tree! Everybody loves her... she has a precious baby face, large sleeping eyes, and a cuddly kapok-filled body.



Large-Size Doll Carriages... \$14.98

Doll Baby Bassinets, on wheels... \$2.98

Nursery Tea Set—luster ware... \$1.98



Typewriters, \$14.98

Instructive as well as highly entertaining. These Typewriters have standard keyboards, capitals, numerals, space bar, etc.



Elec. Stove, \$4.98

Small housekeepers can cook their own meals on this tiny Electric Stove. With cooking utensils, extension cord and plug.



Jr. Velocipede, \$2.98

Well-made little Velocipede, excellent for small children. They'll have loads of fun riding up and down. Reinforced steel frame.



Hobby Horse, \$8.98

A real dapple gray Hobby Horse, gentle and guaranteed not to balk or bite. This is on demountable rockers and roller wheels.

(Toys—Fifth Floor.)  
For Telephone Shopping Service—Call Central 6500.

## Andirons for Gifts!

Several Styles at This Low Price

\$4.95

Andirons for a fireplace... what could be more in keeping with the spirit of Christmas! Your gift is sure to have a warm reception if it is a pair of these distinctive ones. A number of traditional as well as modern styles are included in this interesting group—all at this low price!



## Select This Electric Grate

—for your own or someone else's home, and be sure that your gift will be thoroughly appreciated! These serve a double purpose... for they are decorative as well as useful! With artificial coal that looks like fire.

\$7.95

(Seventh Floor.)

## Gifts for Smokers

A Special Grouping in the Cigar Shop

FRENCH BRIAR  
PIPES — Curve and  
straight stem styles, each  
with vulcanite mouth-  
piece and aluminum tube.  
Very special at... \$1.00

MEERSCHAUM PIPES  
—With genuine rock amber  
stems. Large sizes.  
Each Pipe in an attractive  
leather case. Priced  
\$12.00 and... \$9.00

CIGAR HUMIDORS—  
Made of choice wood,  
mahogany finished, fitted  
with moisture pads. Will  
hold box of 50 cigars... \$5.00

CIGARS — Garcia Masters  
made of domestic  
and Cuban tobaccos. Each  
cigar cellophane wrapped.  
Box of 25, special... \$1.75

French Briar Pipes, large size... \$3.00  
\$15 Dunhill Lighters, leather covered... \$4.95  
\$10 Dunhill Lighters, silver... \$3.95

(Street Floor.)  
For Telephone Shopping Service—Call Central 6500.



**RESTRICTIONS BY BRAZIL**  
**EXCITE PRESS OF PORTUGAL**  
 The European immigration for six months and also has forbidden the exportation of capital.  
 Newspapers declared that not only had Portuguese feelings been wounded but the country would suffer financially, since thousands of families in this country exist on remittances from Brazilian relatives and business will be seriously injured by the inability to sell products from Brazil.



## GARLAND'S

HOSIERY GIFT BOX SPECIAL:

1.75 Picot-Edge Chiffons

**1.15**

2 Pairs . . 2.25 3 Pairs . . 3.30

● An ideal Hose for personal wear or for gifts. Our regular No. 404 crystal clear, dull-sheer chiffon with colored picot edge and run stop. Cradle foot, panel heel and extra length. All perfect, of course. Each purchase in a gift box.

Street Floor.

## Close-Out! All Remaining Sample Hats

Originally 5.00 to 7.50

**2.00**

Final reduction on sample and regular stock Hats. Fur felt, metallic, novelty fabrics, vis-a-vis, boucle, etc. Black, cricket green, new browns. All sales final.

Second Floor Mezzanine

THOMAS W. GARLAND, INC.—6TH ST. BTW. LOCUST & ST. CHARLES

## LAMONT DISCUSSES BUSINESS SLUMP IN ANNUAL REPORT

Construction Hardest Hit Among Industries in Last Fiscal Year, Secretary of Commerce Says.

FARM PRODUCTS ALSO MADE SHARP DROP

Sales in Department Stores Only Slightly Less, While Those of Mail Order Houses Gained.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The steadiness of price levels which had characterized most recent years was broken by a very considerable decline during the last fiscal year which ended June 30. Secretary of Commerce Lamont said in his annual report made public today.

"For the year as a whole the price index (converted to the base of 1923-1925 as 100) averaged 81.9 as compared with 96.7 during 1928-1929, a decline of about 15 per cent," the report said. "For the group of farm products the decline was slightly greater, while the two groups of foods and commodities, other than farm products and foods, averaged about 3 per cent lower. Farm products fell about 17 per cent between September and June and fell 1/4 per cent further in July, although they have since shown some recovery."

The general index of the volume of industrial and mineral production for the year averaged 110. It was about 6 per cent lower than the fiscal year 1928-1929, but slightly higher than in any of the three fiscal years prior thereto, and decidedly higher than years before 1925, according to the report.

In the volume of output by major industries the indexes, based upon 100 for 1923-1925 were: Manufacturing production, 101. Mineral production, 108. Railroads, ton-miles revenue freight, 82. Electric power production, 155. Building contracts in 37 states, 78.

Indexes for the value of sales showed that of department stores 95 and mail order houses 166. Construction was affected.

"The traffic of railroads was naturally affected by the decline in the production of commodities," Lamont said. "The ton-mileage carried by the railways in the fiscal year, 1930, however has been surpassed in only three other years. Traffic in June was about one-seventh less than in the same month of 1929."

"The industry most affected by the recession of business was that of construction, which had already begun to decline during the fiscal year 1928-1929. The value of construction contracts let during the year ending June, 1930, was less than in any other fiscal year since 1921-1922 and over 14 per cent less than in the preceding year."

One of the noteworthy features of the year's business was the continued demand for consumers' goods, reflected in the fact that the volume of department store sales was only slightly less than in 1929-30.

"The somewhat reduced activity prices of commodities, was only slightly less than the peak figures of 1928-1929, according to the report. Lamont said that mail-order houses and five and ten cent store chains continued to increase their sales, largely as a result of the establishment of new department stores by the mail-order concerns and the increase in the number of stores in the chains.

"The somewhat reduced activity of manufacturing and mining industries during the fiscal year was accompanied by a smaller employment of labor and an increase in part-time work. The average number of wage earners employed in factories during 1929-1930 was 3.7 per cent less than in the preceding year and the amount in payrolls fell by 5.3 per cent, the difference having been due, not to lower rates of wages, but to greater prevalence of part-time operations."

Part of World Wide Decline. Lamont described the decline in prices as a part of a world-wide movement. As is normally the case the reduction in prices in this and other countries, has been more conspicuous in raw materials than in manufactured goods. Retail prices normally show less variability than wholesale prices, partly because they are more fixed by custom and partly for the same reason that manufactured goods show less variability than raw commodities.

While construction generally declined the activity of public utilities was the greatest ever recorded except during the World War. The most marked decline was in residential building.

"Financial conditions were dominated by the security market," Lamont said. "The fiscal year opened with stock quotations still rising rapidly after years of an almost uninterrupted 'bull market.' The total market value of all stocks listed in the New York Stock Exchange increased from \$77,365,000,000 in July to \$89,470,000,000 in September—a 16 per cent appreciation in two months. The collapse of stock prices in October and November brought the

market value of these stocks down to \$83,590,000,000, a drop of 20 per cent."

Lamont described the improvement in prices early in 1930 and the subsequent secondary break taking values to \$83,890,000,000 at the close of the fiscal year. He said that the collapse of the security market was followed by an almost complete cessation of new financing.

On banking conditions he said: "The trend toward chain and group banking, banking consolidations, and the expansion of branch banking was again evident during the past fiscal year. The merging of important banking institutions in our large cities has resulted in a marked reduction in the number of banks as well as a large-scale concentration of banking resources. As result of one of these mergers, the largest bank in the world is now domiciled in the United States."

## ILLINOIS BUSINESS IMPROVES

Payrolls Increasing, Relief Requirements Below Previous Estimates.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Business, according to a report to the Illinois Industrial Council, is better throughout the State. Representatives of a dozen Manufacturers' Associations heard at a meeting of the council yesterday that payrolls are increasing, little distress from unemployment was reported from any section last week and relief requirements will be under previous estimates. Member associations of the council have promised not to lay off workers except in extreme cases of business pressure.

James L. Donnelly, executive vice president of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association, said employers were using alternating and split shifts in order to give employment to the greatest possible number of men.

## Blue Law Campaigns Abandoned.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—Experiments with Sunday blue law revivals as a means of eliminating Sunday movies and miniature golf were quietly discontinued yesterday in Bellows Falls, Vt., and Concord, N. H. In Bellows Falls drug stores, news stands, garages and gasoline stations reopened and did a usual Sunday business. Only the movies and the baby golf courses, against which the revived blue laws were aimed, remained closed.

## PIPES for GIFTS

See Just-This Pipe Man—46 Years' Experience. The Mecca of Pipe Lovers.

H. J. Jost & Son  
 110 North 6th  
 "ST. LOUIS FINEST PIPE SHOP"

## HY-GRADE LAUNDRY

ONLY IN ST. LOUIS  
 6 Services  
 5c to 20c  
 Phone Victor 2070  
 15% DISCOUNT ON CASH AND CARRY  
 2724 Park Av.

## Stout Women

EXTRA-SIZE Underwear

Makes a Charming Christmas Gift

**\$1.34**

Bloomers Step-In Chemise

Made of fine quality rayon. Lingerie lace trimmed or smartly styled, others are made of cotton, orora. Delicate pastel shades. Sizes 40 to 50. Bloomers and chemise to 70-inch hip.

A Christmas Eve Special

**89c**

LANE BRYANT BASEMENT SIXTH and LOCUST

# Kline's

606-08 Washington Ave., Thru to Sixth Street. Street Floor

## SALE of GIFTS

A Special Purchase! Christmas Offering of

## Satin Lingerie

... and other Lingerie of French crepes, and 100% pure silks. Fragile-looking undies that are exquisite and extremely low priced at

**\$1.95**

What pops into your mind first when on the gift question? Lingerie, of course—lacy, dainty styles . . . or styles that are tailored in attractive manner. In this assortment you'll find: step-ins, dancettes, teddies, slips, bloomers, chemise, in Nile green, Flesh, Tea Rose, Turquoise blue. Sizes 34-44.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

Silk Lingerie \$1

Step-ins, teddies, dancettes, chemise of excellent quality crepe de chine, cleverly lace-trimmed or tailored with elaborate simplicity. In pastel hues. Sizes 34-44.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

## Sale of RAYON Undies

A charming gift at small expenditure. Rayon Undies, in pastel colorings. Sizes 34 to 44.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

**2 for \$1**

## Sale of 1400 Pairs SILK HOSE

Picot-top chiffons and service weights that are important values at this price. Perfect . . . full-fashioned, lisle reinforced at wearing points. New shades. Sizes 8 1/2-10 1/2.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

**88c**

## Regular \$1.95 and \$2.95 Silk Hosiery

Chiffons, Ingrains, Grenadines, Service Weights

**2 Pairs for \$2.95**

A two-pair price—making this a perfect gift and a perfect VALUE! Included are: 3-thread, 48-gauge chiffons . . . 4-thread, 45-gauge chiffons . . . chiffons with picot tops . . . silk from top to toe . . . and some with Hemlock runstop. Hose in colors for daytime and evening wear. Some are lisle reinforced. Sizes 8 1/2-10 1/2.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

## New Handbags Underpriced!

Featuring crystal and ivory frames that add elegance to these lovely Bags!

**\$2.59**

Fashion says—large or medium sized bags for daytime—small bags for evening! This collection is comprised of calf, pin seal, and antelope combinations for daytime . . . seed pearl, silk, or rhinestone bags of evening . . . in many distinctive types. Popular shades and black.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

## Sale of 3000 Pairs Imported French Kid Gloves

Have HER compliment your choice of this necessary COMPLEMENT to her daytime costume!

**\$1.98**

Every woman likes to receive gloves—this group features a variety of ship-on and cuff styles . . . fancy or tailored, in leading colors. Some black suede are included, too. Sizes 7 1/2 to 8.

KLINE'S—Street Floor

When in Doubt, Give a Kline Gift Certificate

IT NEW TRAFFIC STOP SIGNS ESTABLISHED BY ORDINANCE

Becomes Effective at Once But Funds are Not Available for All Installations. Seventeen new traffic stop inter-

place

## Gift Bazaar

ARE you alertly ready Christmas — or will eleventh hour find you all ried about belated shopping? Our Gift Bazaar offers you the kind of last minute shopping opportunities a hurried shopper wants!

## TOY

Large size Electric Machines, long cord and plug. Complete and ready to entertain with pictures. \$5

## Movie Machine

Large size Electric Machines, long cord and plug. Complete and ready to entertain with pictures. \$5

## Sewing Cabinet

"Priscilla" style with two-toned finish. A gift that a young girl will delight in; \$2 value. \$1

## Tree Ornaments

Colorful, large-size Ornaments with strong loop to tie on the tree. New arrivals. 6 for 50c

## Pedal Cars

Of hardwood—with disc and steel gears. Exceptionally well made—neatly enameled. \$1

## Hand

Colorful, large-size Ornaments with strong loop to tie on the tree. New arrivals. 6 for 50c



NEW TRAFFIC STOP SIGNS  
ESTABLISHED BY ORDINANCE

Becomes Effective at Once  
But Funds are Not Available  
for All Installations.  
Seventeen new traffic stop inter-

sections have been established by an ordinance signed by Mayor Miller last Saturday. Having an emergency clause, the bill became effective at once. The Street Department will start erection of the official "stop" signs but cannot place them at all these corners until more funds are available.

After signs are installed, traffic must halt before crossing these intersections: Nebraska avenue and Acomac street; Euclid avenue and Palm street; Columbia and Sulphur avenues; Pennsylvania avenue and its intersection at Kansas street.

Fillmore street, Haven street, Loughborough avenue, Robert avenue and Davis street; Virginia avenue and its intersections at Osceola street; Itasca street and Bates street; Eichelberger street and Macklind avenue; West Florissant avenue and Kingshighway

Class to Broadcast Play.  
The dramatic class of Fontbonne College will broadcast the one-act play, "Peggy," by Rachel Crothers, tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock over radio station WEW, St. Louis University.

Ex-Kaiser's Nephew Weds.  
By the Associated Press.  
CRONBERG, Germany, Dec. 15.

Prince Christopher of Hesse, nephew of the former German Kaiser, and the Princess Sophie of Greece, daughter of Prince Andrew of Greece, were married today. The bridegroom's brother, Philip, recently married the Princess Mafalda of Italy.

THREE YOUNG MEN  
ADMIT ROBBERY OF  
15 AUTOS IN PARKS

Two of Them Are Paroled  
Convicts, Sentenced in  
1929 to 5 Years Each for  
Similar Crimes.

ONE "LOOKING FOR  
SOMEONE TO ROB"

He, Carrying Loaded Pistol,  
Is Arrested With Com-  
panion and Names Third  
Youth as Confederate.

About 15 holdups in which men and women were robbed while sitting in automobiles in city parks during the last three months have been explained by the confessions of three young men, police announced today.

Two of the prisoners, Eugene Davaggio, 21 years old, and Herman Ranciglio, 21, are paroled convicts, sentenced June 26, 1929, to five years after they confessed about 25 similar crimes. They were released Aug. 23, last, Davaggio being paroled to Paul Calaterra, an undertaker, and Ranciglio to Eugene Guadoni, a former Federal prohibition agent.

The third man, Charles Bickell, 26, was arrested with Davaggio last Saturday in Bickell's automobile at Patton and Macklind avenue, Davaggio, who had a loaded pistol, is quoted as saying he was "looking for somebody to stick up," and named Ranciglio as a confederate. According to police, Davaggio confessed 15 robberies in Tower Grove and Forest Parks, Bickell admitted participation in seven or eight robberies, and Ranciglio declared he participated with the two others in one robbery last Friday night.

Davaggio told police he made a living driving an ice wagon for a few weeks after his release from prison but lost his job and resumed criminal operations.

Three Youths, Caught in Chase,  
Admit Drug Store Holdup

Police also are holding three youths, arrested in a stolen automobile after a chase early yesterday, who are said to have confessed participation in a drug store holdup.

Clyde Reed admitted ownership of a loaded pistol found in the street and the three youths confessed, according to police, that they had held up Louis Fager, druggist at 4273 Delmar boulevard, taking \$25. Fager identified Clyde Reed and Weiss, Benjamin Kolnik, dry goods merchant at 4258 Easton avenue, said Clyde Reed was the man who robbed him of \$65 Thursday night.

Four filling stations were robbed. At 225 South Vandeventer avenue, \$10 was taken; at Pendleton avenue and Washington boulevard, \$5; at 5611 South Kingshighway, \$25; at Kingshighway and Natural Bridge avenue, \$15, and at 3751 Cass avenue, \$25.

George Eackus, 4139 Lexington avenue, and John Hyland, 4140 Lexington avenue, were held up by three men, who stepped from an automobile near their homes. Neither man had any money. Ward Keller, 4690 West Florissant avenue, was similarly held up, losing \$8.

The Modern Automobile Parts Co., 1715 Lafayette avenue, was robbed of \$250 last night by burglars who broke open the office safe.

Delivery Boy Robbed.  
Gerald de Guire, 15-year-old messenger for a drug store at 4501 Maryland avenue, sent to an apartment building at 407 North Taylor avenue with a \$2 order and "change for \$20," was held up in the lobby of the building by a man with a revolver. The robber took \$25, including \$17 belonging to the boy, and rode away on the boy's bicycle, which he abandoned a few blocks away.

An overcoat, a suit, a scarf, two neckties and a pair of gloves, all valued at \$65, were stolen from a window of the Browning, King & Co. store, 916 Olive street, by a man who threw a brick through the window at 5 a. m. yesterday.

Scipio Patterson, 21-year-old Negro former convict, was arrested at 6924 Pershing avenue yesterday morning, after residents had complained to University City police that a Negro intruder had been frightened from two nearby homes. Patrolmen William Altmiller and Harry Conroy searched the neighborhood and found Patterson in the basement. He was released from the State penitentiary a month ago, after serving part of a three-year sentence for burglary and larceny.

Woman Dies from Burns

Miss Caroline M. Heitz's Clothing Caught Fire from Gas Burner.

Miss Caroline M. Heitz, 2209 Delor street, died Saturday from burns suffered Dec. 2, when her clothing caught fire from a gas burner in the basement of her home.

Miss Heitz, who was 33 years old, is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heitz, and a sister, Miss Elvira Heitz. Funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Hoffmeister chapel, Kingshighway Park and Virginia avenue. Interment will be in the New St. Marcus Cemetery.

## Gift Bazaar

ARE you alertly ready for Christmas — or will the eleventh hour find you all worried about belated shopping? Our Gift Bazaar offers you just the kind of last minute shopping opportunities every hurried shopper wants!



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Large size Electric Machines with hand cord and plug. Completely equipped and ready to entertain with pictures.

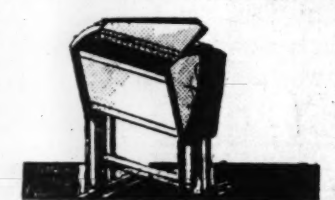
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## \$5.50 Velocipedes

Adjustable seat... rubber-tired wheels and pedals. In bright colored enameled finishes. Strongly made.

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## Sewing Cabinets

"Priscilla" style with two-tone enameled finish. A gift that a young girl will delight in; \$2 value...

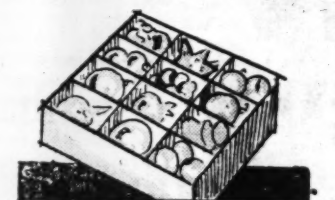
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Substantially built and will stand lots of hard play. Pink enameled. Clever designs.

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## Tree Ornaments

Colorful, large-size Ornaments with strong loop to tie on the Christmas tree. New arrival.

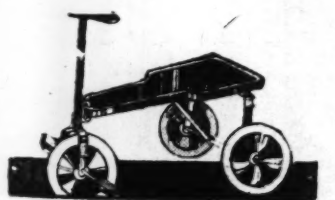
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## Tree Light Outfits

Electric Christmas tree Outfits—8-pine cone-shaped Tungsten bulbs with add-a-light plug connection.

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## Pedal Cars

Of hardwood—with disc wheels and steel gears. Exceptionally well made—neatly enameled.

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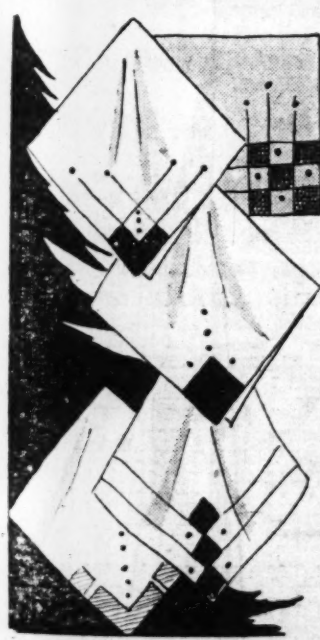


## \$4.98 Scooters

Large foot board and high handle. With disc rubber-tired wheels. Parking stand and foot brake.

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## Women's Linen Handkerchiefs

25c

Made of linen with four-cornered, colored, appliqued designs; finished handmade!

Women's Linen Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs

50c

Men's 50c Linen Handkerchiefs with Hand-Drawn Designs

3 for \$1

Women's 25c Linen Handkerchiefs

8 for \$1

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3 for 50c

Handkerchiefs

10c

Men's 25c Linen Handkerchiefs

6 for \$1

Women's 25c Colored Woven Border Handkerchiefs

25c

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## Broadcloth Shirts

\$1.55

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Although the price is extremely small, yet these have retained all the finer points of gifts! They are of highly mercerized, pre-shrunk Broadcloth in white, blue, green, tan and helio. Also in new neat checks and stripes. Fadeproof in collar-attached styles. Individually boxed.

Men's Large \$1.95 to \$2.50 Silk Mufflers

\$1.45

Many light and dark grounds including Persian, stripe and figure patterns. In crepe, twill and wadded fabrics; gift-boxed.

Men's \$2.50 South African Cape Gloves

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Of soft, pliable leather for street or driving. In tan, black or gray. Embroidered back style; all sizes in the group.

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Men's Silk Four-In-Hand Ties

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Even at this late shopping hour, there are many different designs and color combinations. All are wool lined.

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Artistic Persian designs in many color combinations. All Skinnor style trimmed; heavy weight cord and tassel. In gift box.

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Jack-Knife BootsTo Delight a Boy  
on Christmas

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Exceptionally high top—with strongly stitched flap pocket for a large jack-knife. Trimmed with tan. Double and triple stitched. Sturdy U. S. kid soles.

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## Chromium-Plated Casseroles

8-Inch  
Size . . . . \$2.98

Bring the Christmas dinner into the table piping hot in one of these "Glasslike" Casseroles. It is completed with an attractive chromium-plated frame.

## 100-Pc. Dinner Sets

Attractively floral decorated on a fine American semi-porcelain. Service for 12.

\$12.98

Nugents—Fourth Floor

## Imported Lambskin Gloves

Qualities Regularly Selling  
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\$1.19

We obtained them from an importer who was compelled to turn his stock into cash. At this price you will find it advisable to buy several pairs for yourself and for Christmas gifts. All are novelty cuff style, in shades of brown, beaver and mode. Pique and over-seam stitching. The styles sketched are but two of the interesting assortments you will find.

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Gay Prints Are Fashioned in  
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Primarily Lounging Pajamas, these Pajamas are so bright in colorings... so interestingly fashioned with flare trousers and contrasting colors... and they will look particularly attractive in colorful Christmas papers and wrappings for holiday giving.

## The Style Details:

—Cleverly Designed Trousers  
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—Combinations of Prints With Plain Broadcloths  
—Bright Colors as Well as Pastel Shades

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## Christmas Silk Sale

Exquisite Weaves  
Representing \$1.69 to \$1.98 Values

\$1.39

1 Yard

\$1.98 Heavy all-silk washable Flat Crepe, in pastel and dress shades.

\$1.69 Pebble Canton Crepe, all silk. Street shades and black.

\$1.69 Satin Crepe, beautiful all-silk quality; street and lingerie shades.

Corticelli  
Eldora Prints

\$1.98

Corticelli's newest exclusive creations, in neat floral effects and smart colorings.

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Printed Flat  
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\$1.49

Heavy all-silk flat crepe in a splendid array of patterns and color combinations.

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Silk  
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\$1

top-ins, teddies, dancettes, chemise of excellent quality crepe de chine; cleverly lace-trimmed or tailored with elaborate simplicity. In pastel shades. Sizes 34-44.

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service weights that are reinforced at wear shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

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Gloves

your choice of this NT to her daytime

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**REPORTS HE WAS ROBBED**  
**OF \$60,000 IN DIAMONDS**  
New York Jeweler Tells Chicago Police Two Men Forced Him Into Cab.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Harry Fine, New York jeweler reported to police yesterday he had been kidnapped and robbed of diamonds valued at \$60,000.

Fine said he was seized in the loop district by two men who forced him into a machine, relieved him of the stones, and then released him.

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## KELSO CRITICISES UNCO-ORDINATED RELIEF AGENCIES

**Community Fund Director Says There Should Be a Central Clearing House for Efforts.**

Scattered, unco-ordinated endeavors to relieve distress among the unemployed were assailed by R. W. Kelso, director of the Community Fund, in the Community Forum on radio station KMOX yesterday.

Obviously he had in mind the activities of certain voluntary agencies not in the Community Fund. Instead of the separate endeavors he criticized, Kelso said there should be a central clearing house in which they could come together. He advocated further the use of "existing agencies that are doing intelligent welfare work," but with augmented staffs and facilities when the demand got beyond their ordinary capacity, and the use of a "central strategy committee," obtained through Mayor Miller's Citizens' Committee on Public Relief, to connect proffered volunteer services with needs of unfortunate families.

"Are we doing the right thing by opening all of these relief stations and hunting up old clothes for the poor?" Kelso was asked.

Mistake in Method.

Replying in the negative, Kelso said a community is not wrong in offering sympathetic relief to distressed persons, but that a mistake in method was being made here. He continued:

"We ought to get our several lines of relief together. The present situation amounts to hysteria on the part of everybody but the poor. The chief idea seems to be to open a shop and provide a hand-out. The people who are providing the handout don't know and would not care whether the individual who comes for the basket or the clothes or the coal has driven into town 100 or 200 miles in a filver in order to become the beneficiary of St. Louis generosity, to the detriment of citizens in need, or whether he is the forlorn representative of a peddler in some other town who can by this means quickly acquire a wagon load of clothing and other things for resale and sale, or whether he is one of the 600,000 professional tramps who infest the United States, who may need care and attention, but who mostly need police attention of the non-relief giving variety.

Answer Not in a Basket.

"In the present state of our attempt to relieve unemployment we are doing just what Detroit did at the outset; we are bidding for every one near and far, who will come to the city to live on this bountiful impulse this winter. What we really need to do is to find the families of persons who reside in St. Louis, who do their stuff in ordinary years as citizens and who have lost their means of support because they have lost their jobs. And after we find these people we should make it a business not merely to hand them a basket of food with a blessing but to go through with it and help them until a time as they can get back on their own feet. We ought not treat these good citizens like a bunch of paupers. We ought to treat them like genuine citizens in misfortune, and we should not start anything we are not willing to finish.

"We forget, if we ever knew, that overlapping and emergency relief in the form of baskets and mere temporary help is stultifying and highly damaging to families in distress. The answer to their trouble cannot be found in a basket. Some one has to stand by as a friend and help plan out at least the immediate future."

Against Federal Relief.

Kelso explained that the Community Fund had to refer requests for help to constituent relief agencies and could not take applications at its own office. He criticized the desire of Congress to appropriate funds for unemployment relief, asserting that relief of distress should be a local matter, not going beyond state governments.

Turning to the problem of what to do for impecunious old people, Kelso said the country was beginning to think of old age pensions, "but not with any real degree of concern," and with the notion that old age insurance is socialism. The general idea now, he explained, is that children or other relatives must care for the aged, with help from charity if necessary.

Commenting on the 1200 Cleveland community chest of \$5,412,224, slightly more than the goal set, Kelso said it was \$6.01 per capita for that city's population, while the St. Louis fund goal of \$2,200,000, not quite attained, was \$2.13 per capita here. However, he said the Cleveland chest covers 111 agencies, compared with 51 here, and, unlike St. Louis, includes Catholic and Jewish agencies. Allowing additions of about \$1,000,000 for St. Louis Catholic agencies and about \$600,000 for Jewish groups, he figured the organized charity funds in St. Louis at \$2.69 per capita, or somewhat more than half as much as in Cleveland.

Novena at Old Cathedral.

A novena in preparation for Christmas will begin at the Old Cathedral, Third and Walnut streets, tomorrow. Services will be held each day at 12:25 p. m.

## PREMIER CANNOT RECONCILE MOSLEM AND HINDU VIEWS

Former Object to Minority Representation in Projected Legislature of India.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Despite the best offices of Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald the differences between Hindu and Moslem delegates to the Indian round table conference remain perhaps an insurmountable obstacle to conference success.

The Prime Minister had as his guests over the week-end at chequers representatives of both religious sects and attempted to effect a compromise between them, but found his efforts no more availing than those of other negotiators for more than a century past.

"We had a very interesting time at chequers and enjoyed the Premier's hospitality. Our conversations were most pleasant but no settlement was reached," said Raja Narendra Nath, Hindu.

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## LAWYER FOR U. S. DRY BUREAU DISCHARGED AFTER SUSPENSION

Former "Stool Pigeon" Had Been Investigated.

Irving L. Spencer, an attorney in the employ of the industrial alcohol division of the Federal prohibition unit here for the last two years, has been dropped from the

service, according to advice from Washington.

Spencer, who was suspended several weeks ago following an investigation of his association with a former "stool pigeon" for the prohibition agents, lives at 668 Atlantic avenue, Webster Groves.

Following the practice of the department, officials of the unit in Washington refused to discuss the case, saying only that Spencer had been dropped "for the good of the service."

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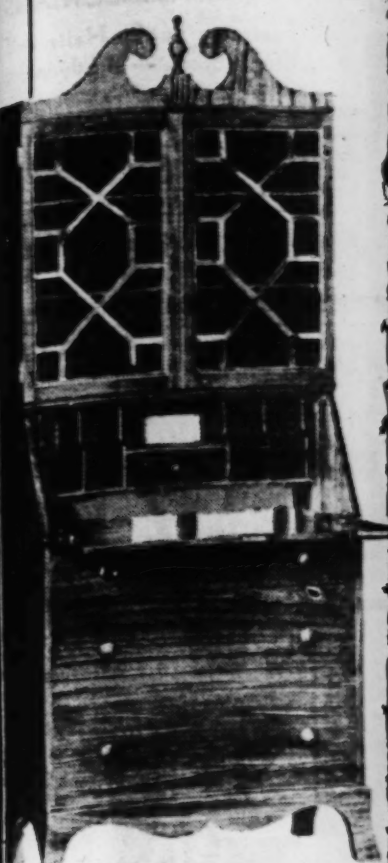
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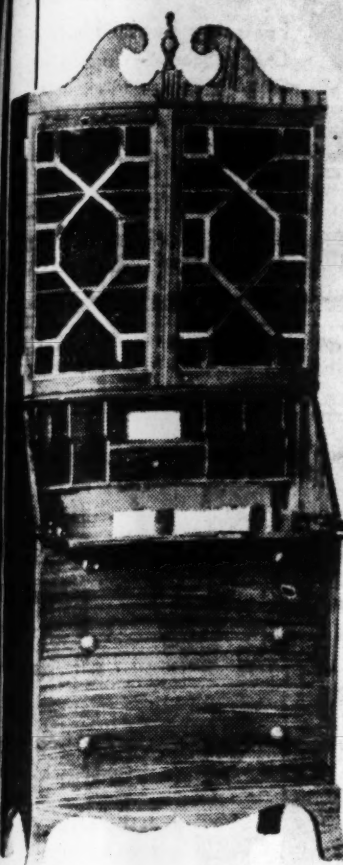
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\$9.75

Complete



The one illustrated is unusually distinctive in design: with black and gold finished metal base and three black candles. The shade is of softly translucent simulated parchment, throwing the decorative applique motif of gold in smart relief.

Lamp Shop—Fourth Floor.

Sale! Metalcraft  
Construction Sets

At Less Than Half Price!

Every boy likes to build and these sets afford splendid practice for amateur construction engineers! At these prices, every boy can easily afford one!

No. 80, builds 5 models, regularly \$1.00; now 39c  
No. 810, builds 25 models regularly \$1.50; now 69c  
No. 820, builds 100 models regularly \$3.00; now \$1.25  
No. 830, builds 250 models, regularly \$5.00; now \$1.98



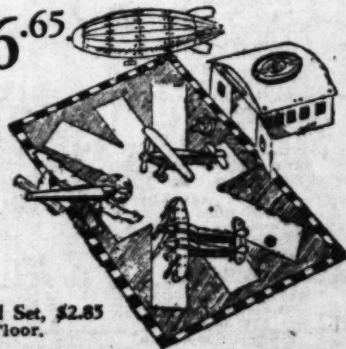
Aeroplane Flying Field Set

Regular \$13 Value, \$6.65 Complete, for .....

You can conduct a regular passenger line with this Set, which includes:

\$5 Aeroplane Set  
\$5 Zeppelin Set  
\$1 Flying Plane  
\$1 Hangar  
\$1 Landing Field Set  
and Helms

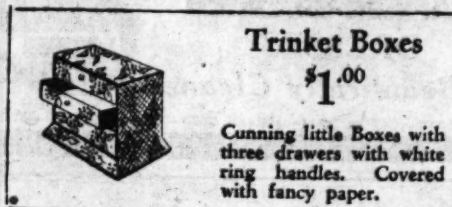
\$5 Aeroplane Landing Field Set, \$2.85  
Toy Shop—Fourth Floor.



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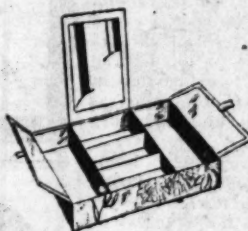
"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

The Notions Shop Offers Inexpensive Gift Suggestions



Trinket Boxes  
\$1.00

Cunning little Boxes with three drawers with white ring handles. Covered with fancy paper.



Make-Up Boxes

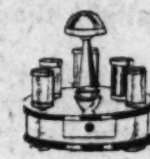
Special \$1.50 at, Each ...

With six compartments and large mirror in lid. Covered with dainty flowered washable fabric.

Spool Holders

50c

With five spools of thread, thimble, small drawer and pincushion, all in one!



Stockinettes  
4 Pairs for \$1.00

Protectors for shoes; a real convenience at home or when traveling. Attractively boxed.

French Mirrors

Clear French Mirror with attractive walnut base. An ideal shaving Mirror, which should solve a gift problem. \$1



Clothes Brushes  
50c

Fancy Brush for clothes or hats; with metal top and handle in attractive colors.



Door Step

In the form of roguish children or amusing animals. A clever gift for..... 50c

Jewel Boxes

\$1.00

Dainty china-box in opalescent colorings; with decorative flower on top.



Notions Shop—First Floor

A Real Opportunity for Christmas Shoppers!



Scarfs

\$1.69

Regular \$1.95 to \$2.95 Values

With Scarfs playing a stellar role in both the feminine and the masculine mode, they are of major importance on the gift list. This special holiday group includes washable Tru-hu squares in smart color combinations; tailored double silk Scarfs in hand-painted designs... and a gorgeous array of frothy French chiffons, exquisitely hand painted on grounds of pink, tan, blue, peach, maize and orchid.

Another specially priced group of Scarfs includes chiffons, squares, printed and embroidered reefers, at .....98c

Scarf Shop—First Floor

Give a Paris Gift!

French  
Gowns

At Unusually  
Low Prices

\$10.95  
and \$12.95

Trimmed with handsome real laces and fine handwork... these lovely Gowns of beautiful French silk make the superlatively welcome gift. Others to \$18.95.

Lingerie Shop—Third Floor.



Scanties Are a Welcome Gift

Delectable garment of girdle, brassiere vest and panties in one. In pink .....\$5 to \$14.50

Corset Shop—Third Floor.

A Holiday Offering of Lovely  
Silk Comforts

\$25 to \$27.50  
Values at

\$16.85



Never before have we been able to feature Comforts of this quality at a price so low! A handsome gift!

The coverings are of all-silk changeable taffeta and Belding's satin, in solid and reversible shades; filled with pure lamb's wool, beautifully scroll stitched, and bound with silk cord.

Colors include rose, blue, green, orchid, peach and gold.

Blanket Shop—Fourth Floor.

Special! Royal Princess  
or Eureka Cleaner

Complete With \$39.50  
Attachments ...

Give mother more leisure time with one of these efficient vacuum Cleaners for Christmas! Complete with attachments at this special price.

Electric Shop—Downstairs Shop.



A \$2.50 Coty Double Compact  
For Someone's Merry Christmas



Is Specially \$2.00  
Priced at....

A dainty square Compact with non-tarnishable chromium-plated finish, filled with Coty's compact powder, makes a delightful gift. In gray suede envelope case.

Toilet Goods Shop—First Floor.

## DECLINE IN TRADE MERGERS IS REPORTED

U. S. Commission Tells Also of  
Increase in Interstate Trans-  
port of Power.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Indications of a decline in the number of acquisitions, consolidations and mergers of business concerns during the last fiscal year, as compared with the previous one, are reported by the Federal Trade Commission in its annual report to Congress.

The commission, however, continued its inquiry into the affairs of utility companies, some of which represented groupings of scores of power-producing firms. The American Gas and Electric Co., the Electric Bond and Share Co., the American Power and Light Co., the National Power and Light Co. and the W. B. Foshay Co. were among those investigated.

Interstate Power Movement. The commission found the scope of its work increasing with the growth of interstate movement of electric energy. A total of 14,500,000,000 kilowatt hours of electric energy moved across state boundaries in 1929.

During 1929 exporters operating under the export trade act, commonly known as the Webb-Pomerene act, sent out of the country goods amounting to \$724,100,000. The figure compared with \$476,200,000 exported in 1928 and \$371,500,000 in 1927.

Cease and desist orders were issued against 48 companies charged with various unfair methods of competition, particularly fraudulent advertising. A record number of 270 stipulations was voluntarily entered into by companies agreeing to desist from unfair practices. Jurisdiction over fraudulent advertising broadcast over the radio was added to the commission's functions.

Trade Practice Meetings. American business men co-operated in 57 trade practice conferences held under commission procedure. This was nearly double the number for the previous year.

"Results to the public from trade-practice conferences have proven incalculable in the form of voluntary elimination of methods of unfair competition which probably otherwise would remain undiscovered and in use," the commission reported, adding:

"Results to industries... are shown by a generally recognized and clearly marked trend toward the use of higher standards of business conduct, superinduced largely through the co-operative nature of the trade-practice conference bringing into closer relationship industries and the commission."

Comparative merits of chain and independent stores were studied by the commission. Investigations of peanuts and cottonseed prices were begun in the South.

## ONTARIO CENSORS CONCERNED OVER AMERICAN GANG FILMS

Board Reports Only 7 of 2022  
Movies in Year Were British  
Made.

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 15.—"The number of films purporting to reveal or depict gangster and underworld life in the 'Big City' has given the board some concern," states the annual report of the Ontario Board of Motion Picture Censors submitted to E. A. Dunlop, provincial treasurer.

The report says Canada is becoming increasingly dependent on United States motion pictures. Only 17 British-made pictures were submitted to the board during the year out of a total of 2022 film subjects.

"Scenes in detail of the commission of crime and acts of lawlessness," continues the report, "not only offer constructive suggestions to break the law, but tend to create the impression that such conditions are normal and justice can be flouted."

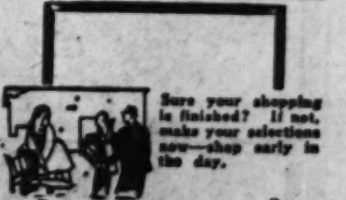
"Promiscuous use of firearms not only in gangster films, but in those portraying contemporary domestic life tend to make such films unsuitable for this country where the carrying of a weapon is an offense and where confidence in the law is such that the citizen is unarmed."

## AMELIA EARHART PILOTS AUTOGIRO IN TWO FLIGHTS

Trans-Atlantic Aviatix First of Six  
to Handle "Windmill"

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—Miss Amelia Earhart, trans-Atlantic flyer, piloted an autogiro over Pittsfield yesterday. It was said to have been the first flight of a "windmill" airplane by a woman.

Miss Earhart handled the machine like a veteran, making two perfect takeoffs and landings and several straight descents without touching the ground.



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More Shopping  
Days Until  
Christmas







# CHRISTMAS AT FAMOUS-BARR CO.

ST. LOUIS' DOMINANT CHRISTMAS STORE

DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY



## Petit Point Powder and Cigarette Cases . . . to Match

Poudre Cases Cigarette Cases  
**\$10 \$20**

Exquisite gifts for a lady! Flower and landscape designs on dainty mountings . . . in the characteristic blended petit point colorings! Cases may be used for carrying powder puff or coins inside evening bags . . . cigarette cases match.

## Petit Point Clocks

Daintily Different!

\$21 to \$42

Medallion Boudoir Clocks in hanging or case styles with antique metal mountings. Really "different" sort of gifts!



Art Needlework Section—Sixth Floor



## Famous-Barr Co. Gift Certificates

Help to keep factory wheels turning and industry going by giving merchandise rather than cash gifts! Gift Certificates are the convenient way!

Famous-Barr Co. Gift Certificates enable recipients to choose from St. Louis' largest assortments and best values! You may have them placed on your charge account, if desired. Issued for any amount at any Exchange Desk.

Keep the Christmas Traditions!

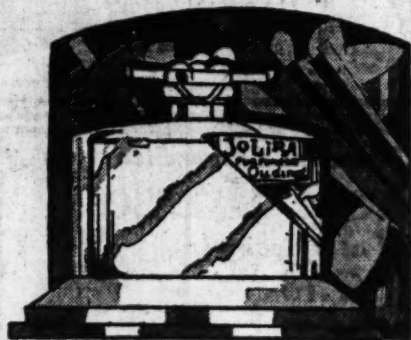
Give Merchandise. Whether You Buy It Here or Elsewhere!

## Special! Oudinet's Jolira Perfume

\$6.50 2-Ounce Bottle

**\$5**

The lovely blend of many flowers . . . fresh and distinctive! Created by Oudinet, in Paris, for the May Co. Stores . . . a pleasing and fastidious gift! In an attractive package!



### Dixsept Perfume

1-Ounce Size Offered at . . . \$6.50

The choice of discriminating women is this imported French Perfume of sophisticated fragrance. In neat suede container.

### Houbigant's Perfumes

\$5.50 to \$7.25 Values . . . \$3.95

Choice of Quelques Fleurs, Ideal, Bois Dormant and Au Matin . . . in special 2-ounce flacons . . . welcome gifts!

### Coty's Perfumes

\$3.50 1-Ounce Size . . . \$2.95

\$6.50 2-Ounce Size . . . \$4.95

These popular Perfumes are the choice of many women. L'Origan, L'Aimant, Chypre, Emeraude and Paris are included . . . in gift boxes.



Main Floor

## Silk Top Hose

24,000 Pairs in This Specially Purchased Assortment!

OFFERED BEGINNING TUESDAY

Amazing Value at

**\$1.35**

Your feminine gift problems are solved smartly and thriftily in this group! Choice includes full-fashioned chiffons, service chiffons with picot tops and light service weight with liele-lined plain silk tops.

Twenty-four colors, among them tans of various shades, browns, Dusky, light and dark gunmetal, Brownleaf, Promenade and Sable. Packed in dainty gift boxes.

Main Floor



Popular Boudoir Tints and Dark Languishing Shades!

Gifts to Thrill Feminine Hearts!

## Lingerie Ensembles

Gifts That Prove You Understand the Modern Woman's Preferences.

### 3-PC. PAJAMA ENSEMBLES

At \$5.95 . . . beautifully printed Pongee Sets in lovely colors.

At \$9.98 . . . exotic prints in rayon crepe and crepe de chine.

At \$15.95 . . . light and dark crepe de chine in swaggy styles.

### 2-PC. PAJAMA ENSEMBLES

At \$6.90 . . . the popular Longjamas in printed pongee with coats.

At \$19.95 . . . Attractive three-piece Pajama Ensembles of printed crepe de chine.

### GOWN ENSEMBLES

At \$9.95 . . . lovely lace-trimmed Gowns with three-quarter coats.

At \$15.95 . . . gorgeous lace Gowns with three-quarter coats.

Fifth Floor



## 100% Wool FLANNEL ROBES

SPECIAL VALUE AT

**\$5.95**

Warm, practical gifts that are attractive, too! Of Botany flannel in those smart man-tailored styles . . . all pre-shrunk, in graceful long lengths.

Stripes in many pleasing color combinations . . . especially pleasing to the schoolgirl!

Fifth Floor



## ON THE FIFTH FLOOR

## Life-Like Dolls

BY FRENCH MAKERS

Copies of Real Live Models

**\$4.95**

Regularly \$7.95 and \$8.95

Adorable Dollies that little girls will love! They're of cloth, with frocks or frilly tulle and Georgette or velvet. Indestructible . . . with real hair.

Smaller Models, \$5.00 Value, \$2.95



## Soft Wool Animals

From England

**\$2.95 to \$14.95**

Little tots will clasp them joyfully to their hearts! Dogs, cats and monkeys, like and durable.

Infants' Wear Section Fifth Floor



## ON THE FIFTH FLOOR

## Children's Socks

For Gifts

**50c**

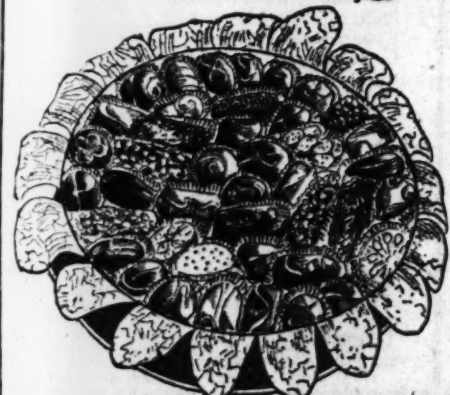
Silk, rayon and liele mixed Half Socks with double turn-over tops . . . in white and choice of 6 colors.

### All-Wool Skating Socks

. . . in plain styles or with colored striped tops . . . in correct skating lengths . . . \$1.10

Fifth Floor

## CHRISTMAS CANDIES



## Par Excellent Chocolates

**\$1.00 Pound**

None more delicious than these sat in smooth Chocolates . . . the pride of our candy shop. The assortment is as varied as it is luscious. Milk or vanilla chocolate.

Attractive Assortments in 1, 2 and 5 Lb. Tin Boxes

. . . Add to the Holiday Festivities and Make Gifts That Are Certain to Please. Choose Yours From Our Varied, Delicious and Wholesome Assortments!

## 3-LB. SPECIAL High Quality Confections—Very Attractively Packed in Tin Box

**\$2.50**

A tempting assortment of Par Excellent and other chocolates, crystallized fruit, pecan balls, bonbons, Golden Dawns and others. They're candies that make you want more . . . and will say "Merry Christmas," just as you want it said.

3-Lb. Special . . . \$1.75

Palate pleasing Candies . . . milk and dark chocolates, wrapped nougat, wrapped layer caramels and many other kinds.

Homemade Candies Caramels, wrapped nougat, butterscotch, pecan balls and others in 1, 2, 3 and 5 pound holly boxes. Lb. . . **50c**

### 5-Lb. Christmas Special

An appealing assortment of milk and dark chocolates with many kinds of centers.

Crystallized Fruits Imported French and California Fruits packed in 1, 2, 3 and 5 pound boxes. Lb. . . **\$1.25**

Assorted Chocolates Hand-rolled creams, coconut balls, marshmallows and others in 1, 2, 3 and 5 pound holly boxes. Lb. . . **75c**

Main Floor

## Treasures That Cannot Be Duplicated

Because They Are Old, Old Pieces From the Other Side of the World!

You don't have to go on 'round-the-world cruises to find gifts of exotic color and loveliness, when the Treasure Shop is at your front door! Here are antiques and Chinese curios . . . some of them dating back as far as the Ming dynasty, some three to five hundred years ago!

PRICED FROM \$15 TO \$150

Interesting curios (not antiques) include figures of synthetic amber, a green quartz jar . . . Peking carved bowls and hand-painted picture scrolls, prices range from \$2.50 to \$100.

Treasure Shop—Sixth Floor



## ATWATER KENT PRIZE WINNERS ANNOUNCED

\$5000 Awards Go to Soprano of Dayton, O., and Baritone of New York.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The finals of the fourth national radio audition, sponsored by the Atwater Kent Foundation over the National Broadcasting system, were held last night. The first prizes went to Carol Deis, a soprano of Dayton, O., and to Raoul E. Nadeau, baritone, of New York City.

The first award, in both the young man and young woman classes, consisted of \$5000 cash, gold decoration and two years' tuition in an American conservatory or its equivalent, to each.

Miss Deis, a Dayton secretary, who has done choir and concert singing, sang Delibes' "Indian Bell Song" in her appearance before the microphone.

Nadeau, a 22-year-old baritone, who is the first singer from New York City ever to reach the finals of the competition, sang Massenet's "Vieux Fugitive."

Judges of the Contest.

The judges were Yeatman Griffith, Dr. Walter Damrosch, Mme. Schumann-Heink, Giovanni Martinelli, Ross Fontaine, George Ferguson and Pierre V. R. Key.

Checks were presented to the winners by A. Atwater Kent of Philadelphia, president of the foundation.

Miss Deis has spent all her life in Dayton. Much of her musical education was under Dr. John Finley Williamson, leader of the famous Westminster choir of Dayton. At one time her mother, two brothers and a sister were taking vocal lessons with her. She was ambitious to become a concert singer.

Raoul Evariste Nadeau, the winner among the young men, is a native of Canada and was singing in church when he was 11 years old. Even then he aspired to opera. Music, however, was sidetracked . . . a time as he studied at Worcester Academy and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He began the serious study of music at the age of 17 in Boston and New York. He now is a naturalized American, employed by an electrical research concern specializing in acoustics.

Other Prize Winners.

The other prize winners: Second Award—\$2000 cash and one year's tuition: Woman, Mary G. Cortner, soprano, New Orleans, "Once There Was a Prince," by Gomez; man, Stephen F. Merrill, tenor, Campbell, Cal., "Celeste Aida," by Verdi.

Third Award—\$2000 cash and one year's tuition: Woman, Joyce Allmand, contralto, Dallas, Tex., "My Heart Is Weary," by Thomas; man, Richard W. Dennis, tenor, Sioux Falls, S. D., "Ah, Moon of My Delight," by Lehmann.

Fourth Award—\$1500 cash and one year's tuition: Woman, Paula J. Phoenix, soprano, Oakhurst, N. J., "Face, Face, Mio Dio," by Verdi; man, W. Eugene Loper, baritone, Jackson, Miss., "Avant de Quitter ces Lieux," by Gounod.

Fifth Award—\$1000 cash and one year's tuition: Woman, Esther B. Coombs, soprano, of Long Beach, Cal., "Shadow Song," by Meyerbeer; man, Ross Graham, bass-baritone, Hot Springs, Ark., "Largo al Factorem," by Rosini.

Miss Cortner, second prize winner, majored in piano at Tulane University, but her teachers induced her to change to voice.

Stephen Merrill, second prize winner among the men, was born in Portland, Me., but has lived in California since he was 2 years old. His father is a physician and pianist and his mother a teacher of music.

## NATIONAL GUARD FLIGHT

16 Officers and Men Make Trip to Bagnell, Mo.

Sixteen officers and enlisted men of the Thirty-fifth Division Air Service, in eight planes under command of Maj. Philip R. Love, made a cross-country trip yesterday to Bagnell, Mo., where they were guests of the Union Electric Light & Power Co.

In conformity with Maj. Love's policy of performing military work on all cross-country trips, each plane had a special mission to perform, either in photography, sketching or radio on the way to and from Bagnell, and each followed a separate course to its destination. On the return trip the planes landed at Lambert-St. Louis Field at 4:30 p. m.



Christmas gifts? Check off your Bridge friends now with generous boxes of their favorite

## CONGRESS BICYCLE PLAYING CARDS



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Do Your Christmas Shopping Here And Save

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

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DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY

## Men's Leather House Slippers

\$2.50 Value!

\$2

Black or brown kid slippers that men enjoy wearing! Flexible leather hand-turned soles. Rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 12.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's Kid D'Orsays

\$1.95 Value!

\$1.19

Colors for every preference! Comfortable gift slippers with kid soles and military heels! Nicely lined. Good size range.

Basement Economy Store

## Tots' 3-Piece Suede Zipper Sets

\$4.95 Value!

\$3.95

An ideal gift for the kiddies you know! Consists of jumpsuit, leggings and helmet. In green, blue, tan and red. Sizes 2 to 6.

Basement Economy Store

## Boys' Leatherette Sheeplined Coats

\$6.95 Value!

\$4.96

Sporty double-breasted style for young fellows! Warm shawl Wombat collars. With knit cuff in sleeves. Sizes 8 to 18.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's HANDBAGS

For the Feminine Gift!

\$1

Pouch, under-arm and envelope Bags... attractively priced! More lined. Fitted with coin purses and mirrors.

Basement Economy Store

## Special Values in Holiday Candies

3 Lbs. \$1

\$1

Assorted Milk Chocolates, Pecan Croquettes and Wrapped Layer Caramels.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's and Misses' Fur-Trimmed Coats

In the Ever-Smart Black

\$14.66

You'll need a warm coat for the cold days to come! Stylish Coats trimmed with black or contrasting fur! Sizes 14 to 44.

Women's and Misses' Muskkrat! Pony! \$69.50 Lapin! Caracul! Sealine! Contrasting or self trims!

Women's Jersey and Leatherette Raincoats In swaggy trench style. Make practical gifts! Sizes 14 to 44.

Basement Economy Store

## Men's Worsted Two-Trouser Suits

\$30 Value!

\$19

Tailored of serviceable new fabrics! In 2-button, single-breasted style. Peak-ed or notched lapels. Sizes 34 to 44.

Men's \$27 Camel Pile Overcoats Fully lined, double-breasted style. Belts all around. Tan or brown. Sizes 34 to 42.

500 Pairs Men's Work or Dress Trousers Wide selection of patterns. All strain points bar tacked. Sizes 30 to 44 waist.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's New Printed Frocks

Very Special at

\$2.99

Printed Rayon, more attractive than ever! Developed into styles just like higher-priced models! Sizes 16 to 48.

Women's \$3.95 Wool Coat Sweaters Rib stitch, V-necks and collared styles. Sizes 36 to 44.

Women's French Crepe and Crepe Satin Slips Lace-trimmed or tailored. Also non-shrinkable Rayon Crepes. Embroidered designs. Sizes 38 to 44.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's Larger-Size Crepe Dresses

Offered at a Saving!

\$6.78

Attractive models with flared and pleated skirts! Of heavy Canton Crepe. Smart shades. Sizes 44 to 52.

Women's Larger-Size Fur-Trimmed Coats Slenderizing styles in Broad - \$24.50 cloth Coats. Sizes 41½ to 51½ and 44½ to 52½.

Women's Larger-Size Print Dresses Delightful new prints in small patterns! Also Cantons! 1931 modes. Sizes 44 to 50.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's Gift Bathrobes

Unusually Priced!

\$3.98

Made of Beacon Cloth & Esmond robes in new styles! Pleasing patterns! Mannish collars! Braid trimmed.

Women's Printed Wash Dresses New styles... in colorfast Percale. Also of Rayon Flat Crepe. Long and short sleeves.

Women's French Crepe and Satin Lingerie Dance Sets, Teddies, Step-ins and \$1.98 Bloomers. Lace-trimmed or tailored. Also Crepe de Chine gowns.

Basement Economy Store

## Men's and Boys' Sweaters

\$4.50 to \$4.95



All-wool baby shaker knit sweaters, slipover style. Sizes 30 to 44.

Men's Gift Neckwear 50c

Rich colors and patterns. Light or dark shades.

Men's Square Scarfs For Personal Use or Gifts! Varied colors and designs. Rayon and cotton fabrics.

Men's \$2.50 to \$3.95 Gloves Fur and wool lined Capeskin and other leathers. Sizes 7½ to 10½.

Basement Economy Store

## Seamless All-Wool Axminster Rugs

Seconds of \$32.50 Grade!

\$23.45



9x12-ft. size. In patterns suitable for living room, bedroom or dining room. Thick pile.

Seamless Axminster Rugs \$49.50 Value! \$39

9x12-ft. size. New designs on back colors that will grounds of tan, brighten up the taupe, rose or blue home. Lustrous pile.

Basement Economy Store



## "Seven, Eight, Nine" DRESSES

Embroidery Trims! Rhinestone Trims! Bead Trims! Fagoting! Flared Sleeves! Puff Sleeves!



You'll be surprised at the clever styles... the lovely materials in these Frocks at this price! Models for every occasion! In almost any color you'd wish... black, highlight shades or the softer tones!

Striped Cantons! Small Patterned Prints! Chiffons! Satins! Canton and Print Combinations! Youthful "Formals!"

Unusual features that mark them as distinctly NEW! Peplums! Boleros! Draped necklines! Longer skirt lengths! Fitted! Waistlines! Styles for the miss or matron! Sizes 14 to 44.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's 79c to 88c Mock-Fashioned SILK HOSE

Pure thread Silk Hose. Lisle reinforced tops and feet. Sizes 8½ to 10.

\$59c

Children's 50c Hose 39c

Rayon and cotton mixed. Plain or derby ribbed. Sizes 6 to 9½.

Women's Underwear \$1 to \$1.15 Value! Bodice - top che 79c

misses, bloomers with double gusset seats... in rayon. Regular and extra sizes.

Men's Wool-Mixed Hose 55c

Fancy patterns. In wool, cotton and rayon mixed. Sizes 10 to 12.

Men's Fancy Hose Irregulars of 50c Grades! Of rayon and cotton. Clockwork patterns. Double heels and toes. Sizes 10 to 11½.

Basement Economy Store

## Shadow-Woven Designed Lace Curtain Panels

Regular \$3 Value! Each

\$1.98

Scalloped and fringed Panels that can be used one to a window. 54-in. wide.

Ruffled Curtains, Pr. and Ea., 55c

Of French Marquisette. Also 5-pc. sets, and fringed 3-tucked panels.

\$2 Lace Panels, Each, \$1.27

Fillet woven designs. 45-in. wide. Scalloped and fringed.

Basement Economy Store

## A Useful Gift! \$3.75 Bed Lamps

\$2.95



Well made on strong wire frames. Neatly trimmed shades. With pull chain sockets, cords and plugs. Ready to use.

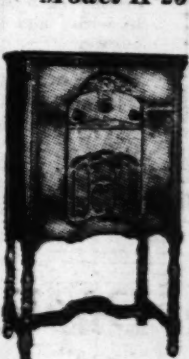
400 Yards of Heavy Black Satin \$1.49 Value! Yard, \$1

Make your holiday frocks of this fashion-favored fabric... at a saving. Lustrous satin face and smooth crepe back.

Basement Economy Store

## KOLSTER RADIOS

Model K-25! Originally \$175



Equipped With Kolster Dynamic Speakers

\$69.95

COMPLETE!

Delight the entire family by getting a Kolster now! RCA patents. Long-distance switch. Powerful and dependable! Housed in a beautiful two-tone Walnut cabinet.

\$9 Cash Payment—Balance Monthly

Basement Economy Store

## 13-Piece Linen Dinner Sets

\$10 Value!

\$6.99

Neatly hemstitched Sets that any woman would welcome! 68x90-in. cloth, attractively designed. 12 napkins to match.

Damask Tablecloths 59c

Hemstitched. Colored borders. 58x54-in. size. Bleached cotton.

7-Piece Linen Dinner Sets \$2.47

54x54-in. hemstitched cloths. Silver bleached. 6 matching napkins.

\$4 to \$4.50 Bedspreads \$2.37

Scalloped, designed spreads. 84x105 or 80x105 inch sizes. Rayon and cotton.

59c 36-In. Wide Robe Cloth, Yd. 44c

Heavy, warm fleece. Dark color combinations. For bathrobes, etc.

35c Linen Toweling, Yard 24c

Absorbent quality. 18-in. wide. Pastel borders. Limit of 10 yards to customer.

Tapestry Cloths 59c

Imported. 45x45-in. size. Woven designs. Reversible and washable.

Basement Economy Store

## SALE OF TOYS!



HOME BILLIARDS 22½-in. x 22½-in. Tables \$5.95

Tables made by a nationally known manufacturer, whose name we are not permitted to mention. Of sturdy folding construction. Feat. bases, and rubber cushions. Complete with equipment.

30-in. x 55-in. Tables \$10.95

Tables made by a nationally known manufacturer, whose name we are not permitted to mention. Of sturdy folding construction. Feat. bases, and rubber cushions. Complete with equipment.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's Rubber Shuglovs

\$1.95 Value!

\$1.59



4-snap rubber Galoshes to fit high or Cuban heeled shoes. Good colors. Sizes 2 to 8, but not every size in every style.

Part-Wool BLANKETS \$3.69 Value! \$2.88

66x80-in. size. Wool and cotton-mixed Blankets in neat pastel block plaids. Finished with cotton sateen binding to match.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's & Misses' Bandeaux

50c to 65c Values!

25c



Dainty Bandeaux that make practical gifts! All-over lace! Lace and Silk combined! Jersey! Brocade! All with up-lifting effect. Various colors.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's Square Crepe Scarfs

\$2.95 and \$3.95 Values!

\$1.95



Delightful new Scarfs... specially purchased! Hand-blocked patterns on excellent Flat Crepe!

Basement Economy Store

## Special Values in Women's Silk Umbrellas

\$4.95 Value!

\$3.95



Pleasing patterns in rainproof fast-color silks. 16-rib frames. Plain, novelty and Prince of Wales handles.

Basement Economy Store

## Women's Slip-On Fabric Gloves

\$1 Value!

79c



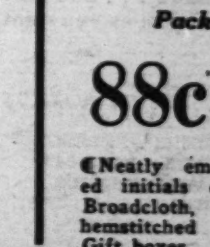
Just the gift for which you've been looking! Double worn fabric Gloves in wanted six-button length. A variety of costume shades.

Basement Economy Store

## Men's Initial Handkerchiefs

Packed 6 in a Box

88c



Neatly embroidered initials on soft Broadcloth, ¼-inch hemstitched hem. Gift boxes.

Basement Economy Store

## Girls' Dresses

Of Silk and Wool

\$3.45



Styles the young miss will like for school or dress wear! Silks! Wool Crepes! Novelty Knits! Sizes 7 to 14.

Basement Economy Store

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We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

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Such Splendid tionably the



## Late Model R-5 Edison Sets

Regularly \$193

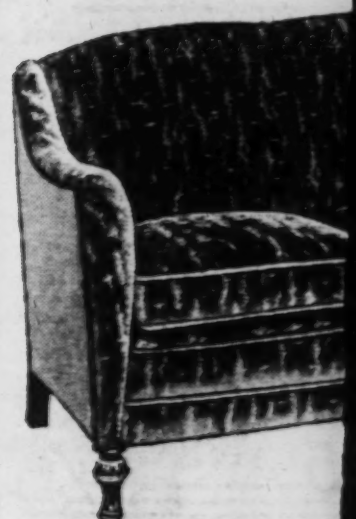
Complete and Installed at

\$112

\$14.45 Cash—Balance Monthly

Worthy of the name of Thomas A. Edison! Celebrated 8-tube neodyne circuit with exclusive Edison Light-O-Matic Tuning Device... in a two-tone sliding-door cabinet. Dynamic speaker.

Hear These Crosley, Fa



Except at...

A gift of luxurious, relaxing living room... and one that styled... these Davenport sofas and excellent quality co



... and if you want to enjoy your furniture while paying for it... do as thousands do! Use our modern, easy and dignified Deferred Payment Plan.



# CHRISTMAS AT FAMOUS-BARR CO.

ST. LOUIS' DOMINANT CHRISTMAS STORE

DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY

## The Four Biggest Radio Values in St. Louis!

Such Splendid Sets at Such Amazingly Low Prices That This Is Unquestionably the Time and Place to Choose! Make It a Radio Christmas!



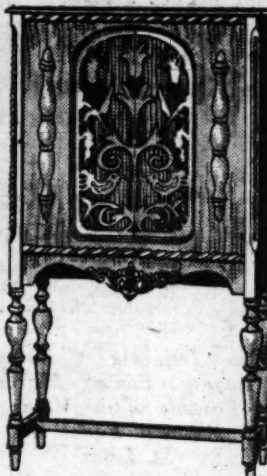
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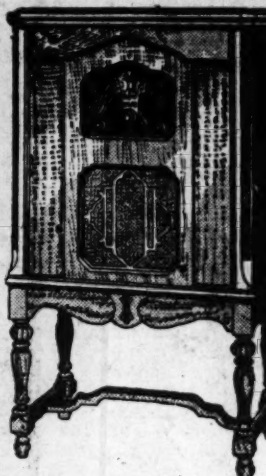
**1931 Screen-Grid Super-Heterodynes**

Special Value Complete and Installed at

**\$99.75**

\$12.75 Cash—Balance Monthly

Superb performance! Made by the Silver-Marshall Company. 9-tube, 5 screen-grid circuit with TONE CONTROL, in sliding-door cabinet. Jensen speaker. Up to the minute in every way!



**Triple Screen-Grid Kolsters**

Special Value Complete and Installed at

**\$89**

\$11.40 Cash—Balance Monthly

Dependability... power... pure tone! Newest improvements in the 7-tube chassis, including TONE CONTROL. Two-tone low-boy console cabinet with Kolster dynamic speaker.



**1931 Triple Screen-Grid Silver Sets**

\$157 Value Complete and Installed at

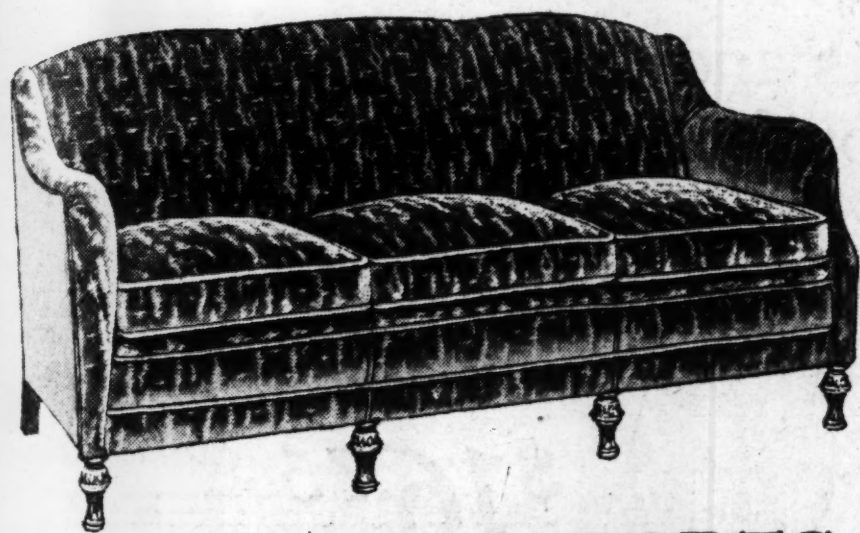
**\$87**

\$11.40 Cash—Balance Monthly

Month after month of satisfaction with one of these Silvers! Seven-tube fully shielded chassis with late improvements, including TONE CONTROL. Lowboy console cabinet with dynamic speaker.

Hear These Other Nationally Known Radios, Too... Radiola, Atwater Kent, Crosley, Fada, Philco, Brunswick, Clarion, Majestic and Sparton

Eighth Floor



## DAVENPORTS

Exceptional **\$79.50**  
at.....

A gift of luxurious, relaxing comfort and smart good looks for your living room... and one that the entire family will enjoy! Attractively styled... these Davenports are sturdily built with solid mahogany, carved legs and excellent quality coverings.



## \$65 Club Chairs

**\$39.95**

Chairs the man-of-the-house will claim for his own... they're so comfortable! Good looking, too, and covered in choice of colorful tapestries, damasks and others.

## Pedestal Tables

... Exquisite and Only

**\$29.50**

Rare beauty in these useful Tables made of burl walnut and quilted maple veneers. They're substantial, too! Tenth Floor

... and if you want to enjoy your furniture while paying for it... do as thousands do! Use our modern, easy and dignified Deferred Payment Plan.

## Imported China Tea Sets

FOR EIGHT  
(29 Pieces)

**\$3.89**

Watch her eyes dance with delight when she delves in the gay Christmas package and discovers one of these Sets! Lovely, dainty things in two-tone luster effect with pretty floral decoration and smart color band.

Priced Exceptionally Low and Not a Very Large Quantity! Seventh Floor



## Drip Coffee Pots

In Attractive Colors!

2-Cup Size.....	\$2.50
3-Cup Size.....	\$3.50
5-Cup Size.....	\$4.50
8-Cup Size.....	\$6.50

Makes Coffee that's faultless in flavor... deliciously appetizing! Of china with aluminum filter cup and ebonized finish handle. Ready for use, with filter wafers. Seventh Floor

## Carving Sets

Packed in Neat Lined Box

**\$4.95**

Stainless steel 3-piece Universal Brand Carving Sets... consisting of carving knife, meat fork and steel composition stag handles.

Others, \$1.25 to \$12.25 Seventh Floor

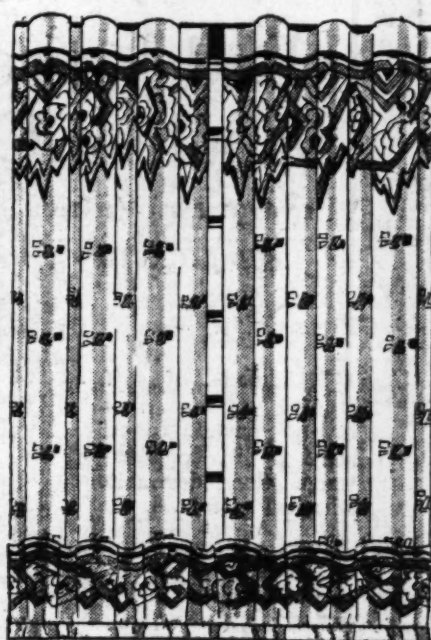


## Colorfully Patterned Imported Madras Curtains

At **\$7.98**

Ordinarily \$10 and \$11.98  
You'll like everything about these Curtains! From Scotland, they're absolutely sun and tub fast... with bottom border floral and conventional designs on creamy background. For many rooms!

Liberal Valance to Fit All Average Size Windows! Sixth Floor



Very Special Offering of

## BICYCLES

PEERLESS ROADSTERS FOR BOYS

Unusual at

**\$24.75**

A selling that is the result of a special purchase. Drop-bar style in 28-in. wheel size... fully equipped.

## Shelby Flyer Bicycles \$27.50

Boys' and girls' roadsters in various sizes. Gaily striped red or blue enamel finish... coaster brake, excellently constructed, fully equipped. Double bar models included.

Shelby Flyer Racers are offered special at **\$27.50** and **\$31.95**

## Shelby De Luxe Motorbike \$32.75

Trim, attractive lined! Red or blue, in 26 and 28 inch sizes. Heavy tires, chromium-plated rims and fully equipped. Sporting Goods—Eighth Floor



## Many "Specials" in Toyland

... Make This the Place for Value-Alert Grown-Ups to Buy for Those Mysterious-Looking, Exciting Packages That Go Under the Christmas Tree for the Kiddies! These Are Only Four of the Scores of Unusual Values You'll Find Here!



**Doll Carriages \$9.98**

Any little miss's heart would swell with pride at taking dolly out in one of these! Fiber body in choice of 3 colors, corduroy upholstered; fully equipped.



**Blackboards \$3.98**

This is one way to overcome that urge tots have to draw pictures and scribble over the wall! Slate writing surface, educational chart, drop-leaf desk style.



**Toy Furniture \$4.98**

The joy of every little housekeeper! Choice of 3-drawer Dressers or 4-drawer Chiffoniers, finished in green and ivory. Generously proportioned and sturdy.



**Baby Dolls \$4.85**

Adorable Baby tots with heads that you can turn from side to side! They're soft, cuddly kapok bodies, composition limbs and are cunningly dressed, even to tiny socks and booties. Eighth Floor

## C. E. CHAPIN TO BE BURIED BESIDE WIFE

Slayer of Male Left Request for Cheapest Casket and No Services.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The last letter Charles E. Chapin wrote in the cell at Sing Sing prison, where he lived 11 years and where he died Saturday night, was opened yesterday. It requested that his body, in the cheapest casket that can be obtained, be laid beside the wife he murdered and that there be no services of any faith either at the prison or the grave.

His wishes, Warden Laves announced, would be complied with. The few possessions salvaged from the wreck of Chapin's savings as city editor of the Evening World and the pittance that he made as prison gardener, will pay his funeral expenses, as he desired.

The contents of his little office in the prison he left to a guard and the few belongings in his cell will be turned over to the man who nursed him in his last illness, Everett Herriott of the prison staff.

Over his name and prison number, 69,690, he asked a layman to attend his body to the Glenwood Cemetery, Washington, William Halpin, turnkey of the cells over the deathhouse, where Chapin lived, is the man to whom he left his scant furnishings—a radio among them—and whom he asked to take his coffin to Washington.

Chapin, 72, was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment, after he shot his wife as she lay asleep. He insisted to the end that he killed her to spare her the poverty that he knew must follow his unsuccessful speculations. He pleaded guilty of second degree murder.

Chapin began his newspaper career when a youth on the Chicago Tribune. He later worked for the Chicago Herald, the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and Washington (D. C.) dailies. He came to New York in 1887 and returned to St. Louis in 1894 and remained there a few years.

He was editor of the Sing Sing Bulletin, the prison newspaper, until it was discontinued after a disagreement between the Warden and the Superintendent of Prisons, Rattigan, over the right of Rattigan to blue-pencil Chapin's copy.

Chapin, born in Watertown, N. Y., was a nephew of Russell Sage, New York banker, and a good friend of former President Harrison and Philip D. Armour, noted Chicago philanthropist.

**20 STATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR POWER OF 50,000 WATTS**  
Adverse Report on WWJ, Detroit; WREX, Memphis; WCFB, Chicago; WTMJ, Milwaukee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Four radio stations—WWJ, at Detroit; WREX, Memphis; WCFB, Chicago, and WTMJ, Milwaukee—would be denied permission to increase their power to 50,000 watts under an examiner's report made today to the Radio Commission.

Twenty stations that sought an increase power to 50,000 watts would be permitted to do so, under Ellis A. Yost's report, which which must be acted on by the commission. He also recommended that the application of Station WBBM, at Chicago, for full time operation, be denied.

The stations recommended for an increase of power on clear channels included: WHAM, Rochester; WBZ, Boston; WOR, Newark; WJZ, New York, all in the first zone; WHAS, Louisville; WCAU, Philadelphia, in the second zone; KVOO, Tulsa, Ok., in the third zone; WHO-WOC, Des Moines, Ia.; WCCO, Minneapolis; WMAQ, Chicago; WBBM-WJBT, Chicago; WGN, Chicago, all in the fourth zone; KGO, Oakland, Cal.; KOA, Denver; KPO, San Francisco; KSL, Salt Lake City, all in the fifth zone.

**POPULACE OF SOUTH TURKEY FLEES FROM RISING WATERS**  
Torrential Rains Cause Disastrous Flood, With an Enormous Property Loss.

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Dec. 15.—As a consequence of torrential rains which have inundated the Seyhan River basin, Southern Turkey is suffering from a disastrous flood. Adams, Mersine and Antalea have been flooded and still heavier rains are reported sweeping in from the Taurus Mountains.

The population is overcome with panic and fleeing to the hills, with old people and children seeking refuge in the mosques and scaling the minarets to keep out of the water's way.

The property loss is enormous. The Turkish Red Crescent Society is rushing food and clothing to the disaster area.

Save your shopping to the last! If you make your selections early in the day.

**ONLY 8 More Shopping Days Until Christmas**



# DIES WHILE PLAYING GOLF AT KIRKWOOD

Arthur W. Willcuts, Steel Company Representative Collapses on Links.

Arthur W. Willcuts, assistant manager of railroad sales for Joseph T. Ryerson & Son, Inc., an iron and steel company, died yesterday when playing golf with three companions at the Woodlawn Country Club, Kirkwood. He was 41 years old and resided at 5424 Cabanne avenue.

Willcuts had completed seven holes of the course at 10 a. m. when he complained of pain in his head. Other members of the foursome offered to quit play but he said he would finish nine holes. A few moments later he collapsed and died before medical aid could be summoned.

His companions were A. A. Taylor, Kirkwood John P. Casey, Webster Groves and Worth Rogers, 5863 Cabanne avenue.

Willcuts was a native of Indianapolis and came here from Detroit 10 years ago. He had been connected with the steel company, a Chicago concern, for 17 years. He had an office at the company's local branch at 2208 North Second street and traveled throughout the United States. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nellie A. Willcuts; a son, John A. Willcuts, and a sister, Mrs. Emma Walzel, St. Petersburg, Fla. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at West Presbyterian Church, Maple and Hamilton avenues.

This was the second death on golf courses here recently. Last Monday Samuel A. Thompson, capitalist and son of the late William H. Thompson, former president of the National Bank of Commerce, died when playing golf with the Rev. John MacIvor at the Glen Echo Country Club.

## G. K. CHESTERTON DISCLOSES SELF AS MASTER OF PUNS

British Author Perpetrates Two Choice Ones but Gives No Light on Meaning of Paradox.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—G. K. Chesterton, the "master of paradox" also is a master of punning. G. K. C., while in New York recently, handed a reporter a copy of his paper, "G. K.'s Weekly." And this is what the master had written:

"Once upon a time there was a mysterious and horrible thing called a paradox, with which I was accused of having dealings, but the actual nature of which I could never for the life of me make out.

"Sometimes I had a notion of going on a search for the meteoric monster; of following through the wandering wood the flaming and fantastic plumage of the Bird of Paradox.

"I remember that I even proposed, at the time, to embody the pursuit and search in a sort of spiritual epic, to be entitled 'Paradox Lost.'

Two puns in as many paragraphs. "And though these original fancies have faded," the British author adds, "I have never really received any more reasonable or precise description of the nature of a paradox."

## CASHER OF CLOSED BANK AT PUXICO UNDER ARREST

Bryan Cookson Charged With Embezzlement and Making False Entries.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. BLOOMFIELD, Mo., Dec. 15.—Bryan Cookson, 32 years old, cashier of the closed Citizens State Bank of Puxico, was placed in jail here after his arrest at Puxico in connection with failure of the banking institution.

Cookson is charged in warrants issued by Prosecuting Attorney C. A. Powell with having made false entries in the bank books and with embezzlement. A shortage reported at around \$27,000 is said to have been found by Bank Examiner C. E. Estes following a preliminary survey of records.

Reports that Cookson had admitted a shortage would be found when the examiner checked the accounts had reached officers according to Powell.

## Florida Travel Bargains

One Way  
or Round Trip

Jacksonville, Fla.	\$25.32	\$34.01
Miami, Fla.	\$4.92	\$6.82
West Palm Beach, Fla.	\$3.13	\$4.42
Tampa, Fla.	\$9.08	\$12.82
St. Petersburg, Fla.	\$9.08	\$12.82
Daytona Beach, Fla.	\$8.29	\$11.97
Key West, Fla.	\$4.31	\$6.00
Pensacola, Fla.	\$25.77	
Havana, Cuba	71.50	

Proportionately Low Fares to Many Other Points.

Round Trip Tickets on sale December 27th, are good returning within 15 days in addition to date of sale, except that Havana tickets are good returning within 22 days in addition to date of sale. These tickets honored in sleeping cars upon payment of usual Pullman charges.

One Way Tickets, on sale December 20, 27 and January 3rd, will be honored only in coaches or chair cars.

TICKETS AT 322 N. BROADWAY  
Chicago 7800

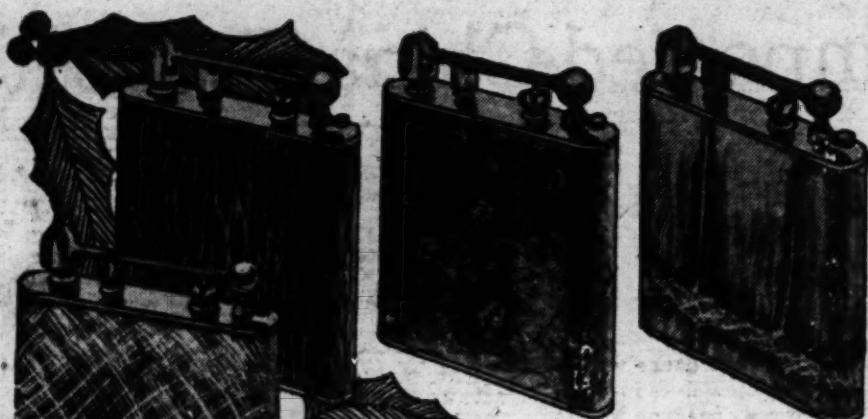
Union Station  
Chicago 6200

Tower Grove Station  
Chicago 4300

# CHRISTMAS AT FAMOUS-BARR CO.

ST. LOUIS' DOMINANT CHRISTMAS STORE

DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY



## DOUGLAS AUTOMATIC LIGHTERS

\$3.50 to \$6 Values

**\$1.69**

What an opportunity to choose gifts for several of your friends! Only an extremely fortunate purchase makes these savings possible. Such good-looking styles, too . . . you'll want several!

Leather Coverings in Many Novelty Effects  
... Also Smart Engine-Turned Patterns!

Jewelry Section—Main Floor

## Men's Silk Shirts

Gifts to Enthuse Over . . .  
The Best Value in Years!

**\$5**



Splendidly tailored . . . in two London collars-to-match or soft collar-attached styles. In choice of white, blue, tan or green. Sizes 14 to 17½. They're Shirts men would choose for themselves . . . that's the acid test for a gift's success!

## Maycrest Shirts

Here Exclusively  
Superior Quality at

**\$5**

Made of an English broadcloth that looks and feels like silk . . . in white, blue, tan, helio and green. 14-17½.

## Neckties

Represent Value  
Far in Excess of

**\$1.50**

We secured them through the co-operation of foremost European weavers and American tie makers . . . that's why you can choose them at this price! They're stunning . . . and here in widest variety!



## Hickok Belt Sets

Very Special

**\$1.50**

Hickok belts of excellent quality cowhide and initialed buckles in these attractive beltogram sets.

## Scarfs

\$2.50, \$10 and \$5  
\$12.50 Values

Specially purchased heavy, pure thread silk mufflers . . . made in Switzerland, Italy and Austria. Practical and smart.



Just 200 of These

## Suedette Windbreakers

Value That's Extreme at

**\$6.95**

What a Sport Coat . . . and what an opportunity to secure its warmth, good looks and durability . . . at this low price! Well made of suedette cloth . . . these Bolivia lined Windbreakers are reversible, rainproof and washable. Choice of rich brown or slate gray. For men, young and old . . . sizes 34 to 46 . . . who like the wide open spaces!

Second Floor

## Bed Jackets and Shoulder Comforts

Very Special Values

### BED JACKETS

**\$2**

Handmade, of soft fluffy yarns . . . in lovely pastel tones, solid or in combinations. Such desirable personal gifts!

### SHOULDER COMFORTS

**\$1.39**

These handmade Shoulder Comforts are ideal for lounging . . . or may be worn under coats. They come in gray, black or pastel shades.

Center Aisle—Fifth Floor

### Boys' \$2.95 Cricket Sweaters

Specially Offered

**\$1.99**

A real gift . . . for real fellows 10 to 18 years! Here in hundreds of smart patterns and a splendid array of colors. V-neck style . . . well tailored and full in size . . . they're woven of pure wool that's light and warm.

The Price Suggests Selecting  
Them for Every Boy on Your List!

Second Floor



## TWO-TROUSER SUITS

Tailored Especially for Us  
by a Foremost Maker  
From Whom We Secure  
Thousands of Our  
Higher-Priced Garments  
Each Season!

In This  
Specialized  
Group

**\$29.75**

Our Immense Combined  
Buying Power Makes  
Possible This Value  
Without Equal in  
St. Louis!

Hundreds have already selected these Suits . . . when you see them you'll want to, also! Choose yours from rich, new basket weaves, twills, stripes and mixtures, twists, long-wearing worsteds and unfinished worsteds in advance patterns and colors. They're clothes of character . . . and they'll show it in the way they'll wear!

OTHERS, \$36 to \$75

### OVERCOATS at \$29.75

Tube coats, fitted coats, box coats and town ulsters . . . well made of durable fabrics in favored colors.

OTHERS, \$25 to \$100  
Second Floor



## Those Gay New Prints

AND BRILLIANT  
"HIGH SHADES"

Are Smartly  
Presented at

**\$16.75**

Get your wardrobe ready for the scintillating holiday festivities . . . thriftily, by choosing from this new group!

"Sunday Night" frocks, clever tailored crepes and lovely, afternoon frocks . . . all with a Spring look to them! Prints are usually in tiny designs on dark backgrounds . . . crepes come in those new bright shades . . . and chiffons are filmy and soft; many with lace touches.

Sizes 12 to 44

### LEATHER JACKETS

Exceptional at

**\$10**

Real Leather Jackets for gifts! Warmly lined with suede cloth . . . in red, brown, navy, black or green. Sizes 14 to 40.

Fourth Floor



## Editorial Page Daily Cartoon

PART TWO.

## WORLD'S EXPORT TRADE DECREASED 8 PCT. THIS YEAR

Slight Drop in Commerce  
in Manufactured Goods  
Cited as Indication of Improvement Soon.

### SLIGHT REDUCTION IN EUROPEAN TRADE

Volume of U. S. Shipping  
Off 15 Pct for First 10  
Months of 1930—Raw  
Materials Most Affected.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The export trade for 1930 of the 101 nations of the world will be about \$22,500,000,000, compared with \$24,427,000,000 during 1929. These figures show that the steady growth of international commerce has been interrupted this year for the first time since 1921 by a decrease of about eight per cent in the volume of the world's export trade, according to the annual analysis made by the National Foreign Trade Council.

A notable fact of the year's business has been less affected by the present depression than that of any other section of the world. The actual volume of Europe's export business has remained close to what it was in 1929. Though its trade is less than last year's in current dollar values, this is almost entirely due to the fall in prices. In 1929 the aggregate export trade of the 27 European nations reached 59 per cent of its 1913 volume. The figures reported by the various governments place the 1929 total at \$11,985,000,000, adjusted to the 1913 dollar, compared with the \$12,056,000,000 actually reported by these nations for 1913.

German Trade Up 40 Per Cent. The outstanding element in this progress has been the rehabilitation of Germany, whose export trade has made up arrears from its 1913 volume of practically 40 per cent since its present growth began to get under way in 1925. Great Britain came in 1929 within five per cent of its 1913 export volume, and all the other nations of Western Europe, with the exception of Holland, have a substantially increased volume of exports over the pre-war year.

In 1930, France, Russia, Rumania, the Irish Free State and a number of other European nations have gained ground in the volume of their exports. Germany is with in one or two per cent of her 1929 export volume, while British exports, in spite of heavy losses early in the year, are only about 10 per cent less than in 1929. In fact, Europe as a whole took more than 90 per cent of the amount of American exports she bought in 1929, the best showing American products made in any market during the year.

The volume of United States exports fell off from those of 1929 by approximately 15 per cent during the first 10 months of this year, but is still, however, 25 per cent greater in volume than before the war and about equal to American exports in 1926.

An encouraging feature in the United States is that, with the omission of the automotive industry, the export of finished manufactured goods for the first six months of the year shows trade has been carried on at more than 92 per cent of the volume of the same months last year. It is in these products that America's greatest sales effort is being made, and so far there is no evidence that this sound position has been changed. In fact, many typical American products, such as electrical goods, tractors, construction machinery, mining and quarrying machinery, accounting and calculating machines and cameras and photographic goods had larger foreign sales during the first six months of the present year than in 1929, and are apparently continuing this record.

Manufactured Goods Steady. The strongest element of foreign trade throughout the world during the last year has been the part contributed by the manufacturing industry. With a few exceptions, manufactured goods of all kinds continue to circulate in approximately the same volume as in previous years. This is particularly notable, as accounting for the steadiness in European export trade, four-fifths of which, predominantly of a manufactured character, is from the nations of Western Europe. Europe is once again carrying on practically half of the world's export trade, and has achieved an advance of more than 14 per cent in export volume since 1925.

The decreases in the world's export trade this year have been almost entirely in the countries which chiefly produce raw materials.

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In 1929, France, Russia, Rumania, the Irish Free State and a number of other European nations have gained ground in the volume of their exports. Germany is with in one or two per cent of her 1929 export volume, while British exports, in spite of heavy losses early in the year, are only about 10 per cent less than in 1929. In fact, Europe as a whole took more than 90 per cent of the amount of American exports she bought in 1929, the best showing American products made in any market during the year.

The volume of United States exports fell off from those of 1929 by approximately 15 per cent during the first six months of this year, but it is still, however, 35 per cent greater in volume than before the war and about equal to American exports in 1926.

An encouraging feature in the United States is that, with the omission of the automotive industry, the export of finished manufactured goods for the first six months of the year shows trade has been carried on at more than 92 per cent of the volume of the same months last year. It is in these products that America's greatest sales effort is being made, and so far there is no evidence that this sound position has been changed. In fact, many typical American products, such as electrical goods, tractors, construction machinery, mining and quarrying machinery, accounting and calculating machines and cameras and photographic goods had larger foreign sales during the first six months of the present year than in 1929, and are apparently continuing this record.

Manufactured Goods Steady.  
The strongest element of foreign trade throughout the world during the last year has been the part contributed by the manufacturing industry. With a few exceptions, manufactured goods of all kinds continue to circulate in approximately the same volume as in previous years. This is particularly notable as accounting for the steadiness in European export trade, four-fifths of which, predominantly of a manufactured character, is from the nations of Western Europe. Europe is once again carrying on practically half of the world's export trade, and has achieved an advance of more than 14 per cent in export volume since 1926.

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## Prof. Meiklejohn Tells Why College Educations Go Wrong

Youth Must Have Flaming Belief in What He  
Is Taught Says Man Who Abolished  
Classrooms and Textbooks.

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But, as Prof. Meiklejohn had implied, he regards that "main current" as an eddy, with nowhere in particular to flow.

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"The church is fundamental to our civilization," he continued. "Yet it has lost its authority for youth. Its point of view today is very uncertain. Youth says, 'Are you sure—or are you just trying to hold onto something that's slipping out from under you?'"

Wants to Find Out.  
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## GERMANY FILES DETAILED CHARGES AGAINST POLAND

Sends to League Complaint  
in 12 Cases of Alleged  
Misconduct of Minority  
in Election.

### BEATINGS AND PILLAGE ALLEGED

Police Said to Have Inter-  
fered Only to Arrest Vic-  
tims—Issue Before Coun-  
cil Next Month.

By ALBIN E. JOHNSON,  
Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch and New York World.

GENEVA, Dec. 15.—Berlin's second series of complaints of alleged atrocities committed by "Polish insurgents" against the German minority in Upper Silesia during the recent election, in which nothing but supporters of Marshal Pilsudski, Poland's dictator, were elected to the Polish Parliament, has reached the secretariat of the League of Nations from Julius Curtius, German Foreign Minister.

These 12 additional examples of alleged Polish brutality were forwarded yesterday to members of the council of the League of Nations.

The evidence in the communication from Germany will come before the January meeting of the council. Berlin gives names, places, dates and details in its complaints of maltreatment, terrorization and pillage.

Women Beaten.  
Beatings with rubber truncheons, according to the German charges, appears to be the favorite procedure of election officials against Germans, while the police viewed the proceedings unconcernedly, acting occasionally only to arrest the victims rather than the aggressors. Even women were among those maltreated, the German Foreign Office charges.

One complaint submitted by Curtius describes the imprisonment of 43 Germans in the coal cellar of the Gollasowitz Police Station, where officers beat prisoners who sat down or leaned against the wall to rest. Another complaint relates an attack on a 55-year-old prisoner who spoke German.

According to Curtius, 200 specific instances of brutality have been reported to the Foreign Office, every case resulting in bodily injury or destruction of property.

No Legal Protection.  
Describing the minorities in Upper Silesia as "absolutely defenseless and devoid of legal protection," Curtius declares that "further reproductions will complete the picture of their hopeless situation and of the unbounded tyranny exercised by insurgents who wreak their will on the lives, health and property of the German minority."

He says the league must face a system of oppression extending throughout all Polish Upper Silesia, which is carried out with the collusion and tolerance of the police authorities.

"In other words," commented the questioner, and Prof. Meiklejohn smiled agreement, "we can get a gospel if enough of us work at it."

"For the sake of a gospel," someone asked, "would it be good to go back to what were the church and school and home?" "Now, that might be all right," he replied, "if we could go back. But we can't."

"How can we get a gospel?" asked another. "By the use of the spirit," he responded. "By trying to get a gospel. By attempting to find out what things mean. By being interested in it—just as, if you asked how one could get an idea, I should say by the use of the mind, by thinking."

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Supreme Court in Holiday Recess.  
By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Supreme Court met briefly today and recessed until after the Christmas holidays. It ordered the Broad River Power Co. to resume operation of a street railway line in Columbia, S. C., affirming a similar decision handed down last May.

## SOVIET CONTRACT FOR TALKIES

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 15.—The Soviet Government has contracted with Erwin Piscator, Berlin stage manager, to produce sound films in several European languages.

The first will be "The Kaiser's Cooles" after the novel by Theodore Plivier. Plivier was a German sailor during the World War and wrote of his experiences in the revolution in the German Imperial Navy.

Canada Lets U. S. Keep \$1,000,000.  
OTTAWA, Can., Dec. 15.—The United States Government today won the right to retain \$1,000,000 worth of Canadian securities, seized during the war as the property of alien enemies. The Supreme Court of Canada dismissed an appeal by the Canadian Secretary of State against a judgment in favor of the United States. Some 150,000 shares were seized from 47 citizens of German.

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## Historic Building for U. S. Embassy in Berlin



THE Bluecher Palace on Unter den Linden, in Berlin, Germany, which has been purchased by the United States Government at a cost of \$1,800,000, to be the home of the American Embassy and consular services in that country. The palace was first built by the German Government for Gen. Bluecher, who came to the aid of Wellington in the Battle of Waterloo.

## RESISTANCE TO WAR FAVORED BY EINSTEIN

Suggests Refusal of Military  
Duty and Fund to Fight  
for Pacifism.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Dr. Albert Einstein, mathematician and author of the relatively theory, speaking before the New Historical Society last night, said: "In our present political situation it is the duty of man to commit crime in the name of his state or his country. It seems to me that it is more his duty to free mankind from this sort of thing."

"There are two ways in which this can be done. The first, which has already been practiced in many countries, is to refuse military duty in time of war. If only 2 per cent of the men liable for war service were to refuse there would not be enough falls in the world to take care of them."

The second method, he said, lies in the formation of a "war resistance fund" with pacifists from all nations contributing. The money would be used to defend imprisoned objectors and to strengthen the feeling against armed conflict throughout the world.

"A real initiative in one or both directions," he concluded, "would bring results. But you must show courage and you must show patience, otherwise you will remain just pacifists."

His remarks were translated from the German by Mrs. Rosalia Schumacher. He was preceded on the program by Miss Helen Keller, the blind author.

Prof. Einstein and his party will sail tonight on the liner Belgeland for Havana and the Pacific Coast by way of the Panama Canal. The scientist paid many calls and made several public appearances yesterday. He visited such old friends as Sir Rindranath Tagore, Fritz Kreisler, Arturo Toscanini, Henry Morganthau, John D. Rockefeller Jr. and Dr. Bernard Kahn. He attended the Metropolitan Opera for the second time and paid tribute at the statue of Caruso.

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## NO MENACE TO U. S. IN SOVIET EXPORTS, REPORT INDICATES

Russia's Trade Two Per  
Cent of World Total —  
Goods Sent to America  
\$5,800,000 Under 1913.

### BALANCE IS SIX TO ONE FOR UNITED STATES

Foreign Policy Association  
Lays Recent Alarm to  
Present Conditions —  
Frowns Upon Embargo.

Post-Dispatch Bureau,  
201-203 Kellogg Bldg.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Export of grain and raw materials by Soviet Russia presents no immediate menace to the United States, the Foreign Policy Association said today in a report prepared by the association's research staff.

Official figures published in the report show that the volume of Russia's export trade was less than 2 per cent of total world trade, and that the value of Russian exports to the United States in 1929-1930 was approximately \$23,500,000, as compared with \$23,315,000 in 1913.

The trade balance in 1929-1930 between Russia and the United States, the report said, was nearly six to one in favor of the United States. "To offset Russian imports valued at \$23,500,000, the United States sold to Russia goods and merchandise valued at \$127,000,000. Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy and Japan have reported unfavorable balances, with imports exceeding exports in the ratio of two to one in the instance of Great Britain and four to one in the case of Italy, the report said.

Alarm Due to Depression.  
The alarm created in recent months by Soviet exports was ascribed in the report to the reappearance of Russian commodities, chiefly raw materials, "at a time when accumulation of stocks and decline in consumption have caused a sharp decline in commodity prices."

Commenting on the agitation in the United States over the possibility of an embargo on Soviet exports, the report said:

"The other nations agreed to abide by the reductions, which they said they would make effective until Jan. 15, hoping meanwhile that Thomas L. Chadbourn, moving spirit of the conference, would be able to induce the Germans to change their minds. Chadbourn, a member of the Cuban-American delegation, will continue negotiations with the Germans from Paris."

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## Of Making Many Books

JOHN G. NEIHARDT

THROUGH THE ROMANTIC MOVEMENT. By Ernest Benham. (Thos. Nelson & Son, New York City.)

Though it may be read with great profit as a complete study, this "Guide Through the Romantic Movement" is the first of a five-volume study of Romanticism that promises to be a distinguished contribution, not only to literary criticism but, by implication, to social criticism as well. Much of the work, it appears, is devoted to an anthology designed to illustrate the discussion.

The striking feature of this introductory volume, in addition to the extraordinary penetration and grasp revealed, is the author's objectivity of approach. He is not swayed by the expression of personal opinions, though at many points one feels that he has definite well-considered ones and that they would certainly be worth expressing. His purpose is to present an "objective account" of the whole Romantic Movement and of the important ramifications of its influence.

Those seriously interested in literary and social questions—and one can scarcely have an intelligent interest in the former with little or none in the latter—should not overlook this work.

The author is a professor at the University of Illinois.

PROPHETS OF THE NEW INDIA. By Romain Rolland. (A. C. Boni, New York City, \$5.)

Even one with a considerable reputation to risk, knowing the quality of Rolland and being not acquainted with the subject here treated, might safely describe "Prophets of the New India" as a great book. It could hardly be otherwise when greatness of mind and greatness of theme are associated and hours of poring longly over its luminous pages have more than justified this expectation. It has been the purpose of Rolland to reveal the deeper thought and spiritual aspiration of modern India to the Western world, and in order to do so, he has begun with the prophet Ramakrishna, who was born nearly a century ago, and told the story of the spiritual awakening that has resulted from the teachings of that seer and his followers up to the present day.

THE PIPER. By Daphne Muir. (Henry Holt & Co., New York, \$2.50.)

A story of the Crusade of Children, a twentieth century manifestation of the ignorance of the Middle Ages. The author has set against that background the pretty tale of Stephen and Charla. Mrs. Muir, who wrote "A Virtuous Woman," is daughter of a former administrator of Cape Province, South Africa.

THE WANDERING JEWESS. By George Sylvester Viereck and Paul Eldridge. (Horace Liveright, New York City, \$2.50.)

In "My First Two Thousand Years" published a year or more ago, Viereck and Eldridge told the story of the Wandering Jew, conceived in keeping with the fashion as a perambulating sex mechanism. The book sold well, naturally and accordingly we must have the story of the Wandering Jew, conceived in the same fashion, as a perambulating sex mechanism. Whatever else might be said of

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experience in the regulation of business, with a view to achieving stability in output and employment, is the duty of half the country. It is reasonably certain that more elaborate instrumental control are created, either arrangements within business itself, or by legislation, we are to face in the future a more serious and more complex situation.

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INTERPRETATION. News server of the economic situation, the well-known maxim, "so goes the nation," probably the late battle.

FUN OF THE WEEK. News. Hungarian legitimist Archduke Otto de Habsburg.

## F. RICHARD JONES WHO BEGAN MOVIE CAREER HERE, DIES

Director Once Associated With O. T. Crawford, More Recently With United Artists.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 15.—Richard Jones, 35 years old, former studio executive and a film director, died here yesterday of tuberculosis. Born in St. Louis, Jones began his screen career in 1913 with O. T. Crawford, who produced pictures in the Missouri city. Then he directed Keystone Comedies for four years.

Later he was supervising director for Mack Bennett Comedies, and director-general of the Roach studio. Within the last five years, as a director for United Artists, he reached the peak of his career. Jones directed Douglas Fairbanks' picture, "The Gaucho." Ronald Coleman's "Buildup Drummond," and a number of other features. He was married last year in New York to Urene Lentz, Hollywood fashion designer, who survives him.

## STREET CAR MEN'S UNION RE-ELECTS CHIEF OFFICERS

President, Financial Secretary and Recording Secretary Retain Office; 2917 Voters Cast.

The principal officers of the Street Car Men's Union were re-elected Saturday as follows: Harry M. Nelson, president; Matthew True, financial secretary; and G. E. Tipton, recording secretary. Nelson and True were opposed by Murray Douglas and Louis Grasser, former president and secretary of the union.

Other officers selected by the 2917 street car men voting are: P. A. Phelan, first vice president; T. G. Robinson, second vice president; Albert Martin, warden, and C. J. Kratky and E. E. Alderson, corresponding secretaries. Executive board members are: L. R. Houston, A. T. Warfel, Daniel Cramer, G. A. Davis, W. W. Lacy, W. E. Parker, Frank Fitzmaurice, C. C. Mueller, R. H. Davis and J. F. Allen.

Union employees of the People's Motorbus Co., affiliated under the same international union as the street car men, will elect officers Wednesday. Thomas Bugg, who led the strike of the bus men early this year, is unopposed for re-election as president.

## DR. EDWARD HENSCHEL DIES

Retired Physician Succumbs to Complications of Disease.

Dr. Edward Henschel, a retired physician of 6136 Delmar boulevard, died yesterday, his fifty-ninth birthday, at Missouri Baptist Hospital of a complication of diseases after a long illness.

He was born in Germany and came to St. Louis in 1904 after traveling for several years in Central America. He was graduated from the St. Louis University Medical School in 1909, engaging in general practice. Besides his wife, Dr. Henschel is survived by three sons, Eugene, Joseph W. and Leo Henschel, and daughter, Miss Rose Henschel. Funeral services will be tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Berger funeral establishment, 4715 McPherson avenue. Burial will be in B'nai Amoona Cemetery.

Medical Service at Fair Return. By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Leaders among Chicago physicians have organized a corporation to furnish all necessary medical service to the low-income group within their ability to pay. Dr. Charles R. Wiley, president of the Northwest Branch of the Chicago Medical Society, is its head. He proposes to better the lot of Chicago physicians by bringing them increased activity at a fair return from thousands of under-treated patients, and those seeking self-cure.

Two Plays at St. Louis U. Two one-act plays, directed by members of the Playhouse Club of St. Louis University, will be presented in the university auditorium tomorrow night, at 7:45 o'clock. The plays are "The Vagrant," and "The Man in the Bowler Hat."

Today's Classified Business Cards in the Post-Dispatch Tell Where to Find

Paperhangers Cleaners Plumbers Contractors Carpenters Roofers Bricklayers Tuckpointers and Others

who are asking for your home improvement, orders—many give their telephone numbers and addresses.

## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

MISS MARTHA SLUDER, daughter of Mrs. Greenfield Sluder, 4845 Maryland avenue, whose marriage to John J. Glesner of Cambridge, Mass., will take place Dec. 27, will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given next Saturday night at the St. Louis Country Club. The hostesses will be the six young women who were to have been bridesmaids at the ceremony, until a bereavement in the family necessitated a change to a small wedding. They are Miss Martha Pettus, Miss Marian Davis, Miss Florence Jones, Mrs. Warren Chandler, Miss Elizabeth Allen, Miss Dorinda Kennerly and Miss Janet Gardner.

Frederick the dinner Mrs. Daniel K. Catlin, 41 Westmoreland place, will give an informal mixed tea for the guests at her home. Informal notes have been received by Miss Sluder's close friends for the wedding, to take place at Christ Church Cathedral. A small reception will follow at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Alex G. Cochran, 7 Westmoreland place. The out-of-town guests will include Mr. Glesner's mother, Mrs. J. George M. Glesner, Bethlehem, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. James L. McLane, Cambridge, Mass. Mr. McLane will be best man.

Mrs. Thomas E. Powe, 4385 McPherson avenue, and her daughter, Mrs. Josephine Powe, called for home from Boulogne, France, Dec. 7. Miss Josephine spent the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Lynch of New York, touring Scotland and England, and joined Mrs. Powe in Paris for a tour of the continent during the fall and early winter. In Florence, Miss Josephine continued her studies in art and languages. They will spend a few days in New York, visiting relatives, and return to St. Louis in time for Christmas.

Mrs. Charles Parsons Pettus, 33 Westmoreland place, will entertain the young school set at a tea during the afternoon of Dec. 24 from 4 to 6 o'clock for her young daughter, Miss Mary Pettus, who will be home for the holidays from the Fernald School, in Aiken, S. C.

Miss Melissa McKay, debutante daughter of Mrs. John A. McKay, 5123 Westmoreland place, will be guest of honor at a dinner party to be given tonight by Mrs. John

Edwin Thomson of the Kings-Way Hotel. The guests will include a group of the buds and their escorts, who will go to the Opera Club for dancing following the dinner. Mrs. McKay will be the chaperone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Elsemann, 6463 Cecil avenue, have invited a group of the younger set including a few of the debutantes, to a luncheon next Sunday at their country home for their daughter, Miss Justine Elsemann, who is a student at Vassar.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyde Jordan of Clayton and McKnight roads have sent out invitations for a reception Saturday afternoon, Jan. 3, at the Glen Echo Country Club in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Peters, whose marriage took place recently. The guests have been invited from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Peters are now in Southern California. On their return they will occupy Mr. Peters' home, 6239 Westminister place. Mrs. Peters was Mrs. Ida Marie Adams.

The same evening at 8:30 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Jordan will give a dancing party for their daughter, Jane, a student at Mary Institute, also at Glen Echo.

The Friday Dancing Club will have its first dinner dance the evening of Dec. 19 in the new dinner room at the Mahler studio, 4911 Washington boulevard. The party will be under the direction of Rosalind Mahler Puteles. On Dec. 23, the Wilson School will have its Christmas party at Mahler's and Dec. 18 and 20 there will be parties for the Thursday and Saturday classes with games and novelties.

The St. Louis Illini Club will hold its annual Christmas dance at Hotel Jefferson Saturday, Dec. 27. All alumni and former students of the University of Illinois in the vicinity of St. Louis have been invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Allen of Paris, formerly of St. Louis, sail tomorrow for New York. They are

## RETURNING HOME



—Dickman Photo.  
MISS ELIZABETH BRODERICK.

DAUGHTER of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Broderick, 325 West Wood-lawn avenue, Kirkwood, who will return Saturday with her father and sister, Miss Mary Broderick, from a visit of four months in California.

coming to St. Louis to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Cushman, 4967 Pershing avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Kauffman, 4387 Westminister place, and their daughter, Miss Emily Kauffman, will spend the Christmas holidays in New Orleans, going later to Los Angeles, Cal., to make their home.

Mrs. M. M. Whitelaw and Mrs. Genevieve F. Logan of the Gatesworth Hotel are in New Orleans for the early winter, the guests of Mrs. E. G. Simmons.

The Ladies of Charity of St. Edward's Church will give a benefit card party tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock at the parish hall, Clara and Maffitt avenues.

Address to Advertising Club. Marshall Adams, East Pittsburg, Pa., assistant advertising manager of Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., will address the Advertising Club of St. Louis at its luncheon tomorrow at Hotel Jefferson. His subject is: "Before Advertising—What?"

## New York Day by Day

By O. O. McIntyre

NEW YORK. Early up, making way with a half jar of yellow tomato preserves, and talking to M. E. Foster, the Texas editor, newly returned from France. Thence to a tailor to try on a double-breasted dinner coat with the new shawl collar.

Home to labor and Chic Sale came and we wondered if there were any old time actresses, executing dance steps, who did not finish with the cry: "There is life in the old girl yet!" And Chic spoke of a mutual friend being as lonely as a horse-fly in a garage. In the evening to the Belgravia club to dinner and later to a musical play, which didn't matter, and sat next to Clare Gould and his wife, the former Lorraine Manville, as winsomely pretty as any lady I know.

HAROLD ROSS, editor of the New Yorker, is a reputed shudderer at the limelight. Those professing to know say he has a hearty distaste for publicity. His name does not appear in the weekly journal save in the usual ownership statement required by law.

He was born in Aspen, Colorado, and later moved with his parents to Salt Lake City, where his father was a railroad contractor of some prominence. Ross had a decisive flair for quitting schools abruptly, the list including a military school and two colleges—each at the moderately polite suggestion of the faculties.

He worked on a Salt Lake paper, also in Albuquerque and Needles, filling in at times as a railroad gang timekeeper, and less meticulous tasks. Other migratory newspaper jobs were on Mark Twain's old paper at Marysville, Cal., and in New Orleans, Atlanta and New York. He for a time edited Judge.

In San Francisco when the war broke, he joined a regiment with Hugh Wiley and was later transferred to Stars and Stripes, the soldier newspaper. He was a private in the army and refused all offers of promotion. He is about 38 years old.

BILL BUCK, a blind news dealer since sixty-six, and Columbus avenue, is an expert making change and can detect a counterfeit coin at the first slight touch. Phoney

bills are more difficult, and it is hard to believe, but so many have been passed on him he refuses to change anything but coins. Nearly all blind news dealers, including Blind George at Bryant Park, have to employ helpers to keep from being imposed upon.

PERSONAL nomination for the most correctly set head of hair on the New York stage—that of Mary Boland.

THE only American to receive world acclaim as a bull fighter is Sydney Franklin, the personable Brooklyn youth. Yet the matador who gave so many bulls fierce tossings must have found his respite humdrum as bitter as wormwood. His arrival from Spain received only routine notice in the newspapers. He went to the theaters and other public places without receiving the faintest recognition. Along Broadway, not a head turned when he passed by.

NEW YORK has modern gleaners, elderly women who prowl produce districts in early morning with capacious baskets. They salvage discarded fresh fruits and vegetables from refuse and sell them to sawdust cafes.

CHORUS girls are most frequent of all movers in a quick-change town. They rarely, during a metropolitan run, remain in a hotel for more than three weeks or in an apartment more than a month. Many illustrators could use chorus girls in spare time for posing, but they move too much to be traced.

DEPARTMENT store saleswomen have an hour for lunch. One tells me time is spent about as follows: Twenty minutes for lunch, 10 for powdering and touching up lips and cheeks and the rest for bathing and powdering tired feet. (Copyright, 1930.)

1,000,000 in Vocational Schools. By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—More than a million persons were enrolled in vocational schools in 1929, taking courses organized and conducted under joint Federal and State supervision. The annual report of the Federal Board for vocational education said today 170,000 studied agriculture, 250,000 home-making, and 625,000 various positions in trade or industry.

## An Electrical Gift Gives a Thrill of Pleasure

TO the giver and to the recipient there's something to thrill about in an electrical gift. The enduring beauty, convenience and usefulness of such gifts will bring true gratefulness for your wisdom in selecting them and will make some one forever grateful for your thoughtfulness.

There are electrical gifts for every one on your gift list—gifts that suit every taste and every purse. It is easy to buy them, too—for you can pay monthly on your light bills at slight additional cost.

From extensive stocks of dependable appliances you may make pleasing selections in things electrical for any member of the family that will say "Merry Christmas" every day in the year.

## Gift Suggestions

FOR MEN	FOR WOMEN
Telephone Clocks .....\$9.75 to \$420.00	Beautiful Lamps ..... \$2.95 to \$149.90
Cigar Lighters .....\$3.50	Percolator Sets ..... \$23.70 to \$135.00
Reading Lamps .....\$9.95 to \$50.95	Toasters ..... \$4.95 to \$17.50
Drink Mixers .....\$22.00	Fruit Juice Extractors .....\$14.95
Electric Humidifiers .....\$10.50	Electric Cleaners ..... \$29.50 to \$92.00
Trouser Pressers .....\$7.95	Electric Refrigerators .....\$179.50 to \$875.00
Tie Pressers .....\$2.50	Electric Ranges ..... \$99.00 to \$610.00
Shaving Mugs .....\$7.50	Curling Irons .....\$1.95 to \$3.25
	Skin Pattern .....\$3
	Sewing Machines .....\$45.00 to \$140.00
	Food Mixers .....\$24.75 to \$68.50
	Sandwich Grills ..... \$18.50 to \$22.00
	Egg Cookers .....\$5.50 to \$8.50
	Hair Dryers .....\$5.95 to \$14.00
	Everhot Waterless Cookers \$12.50 to \$21.00

## FOR CHILDREN

Electric Trains .....\$5.00 to \$75.00
Electric Motors .....\$7.50
Miniature Electric Ranges \$2.50 to \$22.50
Electric Engines .....\$2.50 to \$20.00
Corn Poppers .....\$1.25 to \$5.95
Movie Projectors .....\$6.50 to \$20.00

Store Hours Until Christmas—8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Including Saturdays

## UNION ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER CO.

12th and Locust •• MAIN 3222

Grand at Arsenal (Lobby 9510)	Delmar at Euclid (Crown 7015)	University City 6500 Delmar (Cableway 6397)	2715 Cherokee (Pinecrest 6968)
Waller 6244 Euclid Ave. (Euclid 8095)	Waller at Groves 231 W. Laramie Ave. (Office 3481) or (W. 3480)	Luxemburg 240 Lohr Ferry St. (Riverdale 5275)	Maplewood 7177 Macdonald (Glenwood 6775)

## St. Louis By-Product

**COKE**  
\$9.50 \$10.50

Absolutely no smoke or soot. Very little ash. Less furnace tending. More heat for your money. Order coke from your dealer and phone United Collieries, Inc., Central 1800, for free demonstration.



# WORLD'S EXPORT TRADE DECREASED 8 PCT. THIS YEAR

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terials. Both Canada and Japan, second and third to the United States in the amount of foreign trade gained since the war, have suffered losses, as compared with last year, in excess of 10 per cent. American exports, notably those of any time since the war; lower even

**PETROLEUM COKE, Per Ton.. \$8.50**  
Consisting of 50 per cent heavy oil and 50 per cent waste (11-12 inch screen), suitable for use in the cement industry, where excellent results are obtained.  
**DELIVERED IN ST. LOUIS 2 1/2 TONS OR MORE**  
**KENTUCKY HIGHGRADE COAL..... \$5.50**  
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Literature or Representative by Request. Phone K 1145

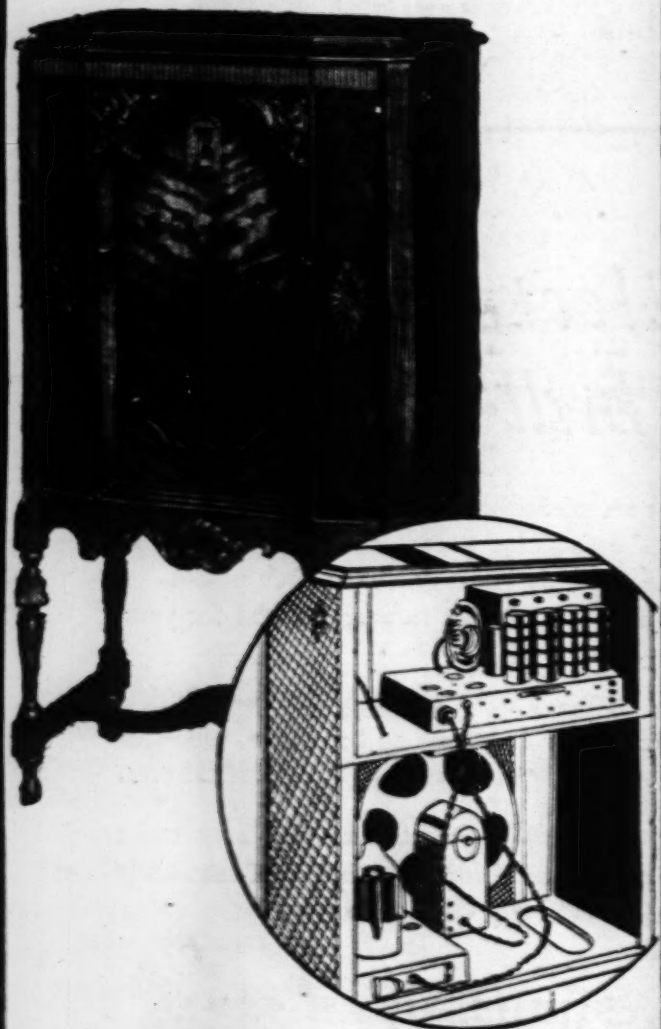
Give the Family Entertainment This Year.

Give a  
**Majestic**  
Radio  
MODEL 123  
**\$137.50**  
**COMPLETE**  
With Tubes  
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Another Shipment! Just Received! And It May Be the Last! You, Too, Will Want to Share This Extraordinary Sale of



**1931 ZENITH**  
Super-8 Radio  
A Regular \$172.20  
Value... **\$99.50**

Complete With Cunningham Tubes

Note These Features

1. Calibrated to finest precision.
2. 4 Screen-Grid Tubes.
3. Side Switch.
4. Audio Transformers; specially designed and built by Zenith.
5. Sensitivity—never before equaled.
6. Selectivity—separation of stations over entire band.
7. Perfectly and completely shielded with aluminum.
8. Perfect tone quality.
9. Volume control from whisper to full volume. Noiseless operation.
10. Beautiful cabinet. Acoustically perfect.

**\$10 Down—Balance Monthly**

Complete Line of 1930-31 Models at Reduced Prices

1921. They have decreased since this time last year by fully 15 per cent, approximating, as an index of present world export values, a figure of less than \$1.20 as related to current dollar values in 1913. The recouping since 1925 has been from a corresponding world export index price of \$1.54, on the 1913 dollar, or a drop of almost 25 per cent in the past five years.

**Improvement Indicated.**  
The most constructive factor of the present year is that manufacturing industry, particularly in Europe and the United States, though reflecting the general reduction of prices, has not substantially reduced the volume of its products entering international trade. The single exception is the automotive industry, whose exports, almost 50 per cent of which come from the United States, have dropped off during the present year almost by half from its 1929 record.

The average diminution of other manufactured exports from the United States by only 8 per cent, coupled with the ability of Europe to maintain her own predominantly manufactured exports at practically last year's volume, show that the greater part of the year's losses in foreign trade has been absorbed by the more speculative international commerce in raw materials. This relatively steady market for the products of manufacturing removes much of the danger from the present situation and presages an improvement for the near future, the report says.

### NO MENACE TO U. S. IN SOVIET EXPORTS, REPORT INDICATES

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the United States for an embargo on Russian goods, the report said: "The American embargo on timber, and subsequent attempts to restrict imports of other Soviet goods, were met in the Soviet Union by threats of retaliation. Soviet officials declared that much as they preferred American machinery and technical assistance, they would be forced to transfer orders from the United States to other countries unless anti-Soviet agitation ceased and credits became available.

"As a result of the tightening up of credits, Soviet orders in the United States, which had averaged \$10,000,000 a month during the early part of 1929, fell off to \$2,000,000 in April, May and June. This period was marked by a corresponding increase of Soviet purchases in Germany and Great Britain. In August and September, however, American manufacturers of agricultural machinery and, to some extent, firms producing industrial equipment offered more acceptable terms, with the result that large orders were placed in the United States by the Amtorg Trading Corporation.

**U. S. Shipping to Benefit.**  
"American shipping, which has been unfavorably affected by the prevailing economic depression, is expected to benefit by American exports to the Soviet Union. On Nov. 6, 1929, the Export Steamship Corporation of New York concluded a three-year contract with Amtorg, a subsidiary of Amtorg, whereby all freight moving from North Atlantic ports to Soviet ports on the Black Sea will be carried by ships of the American export line."

### REFORMED GANGSTER SLAIN

Philadelphia Murderer Near Delaware River Waterfront.

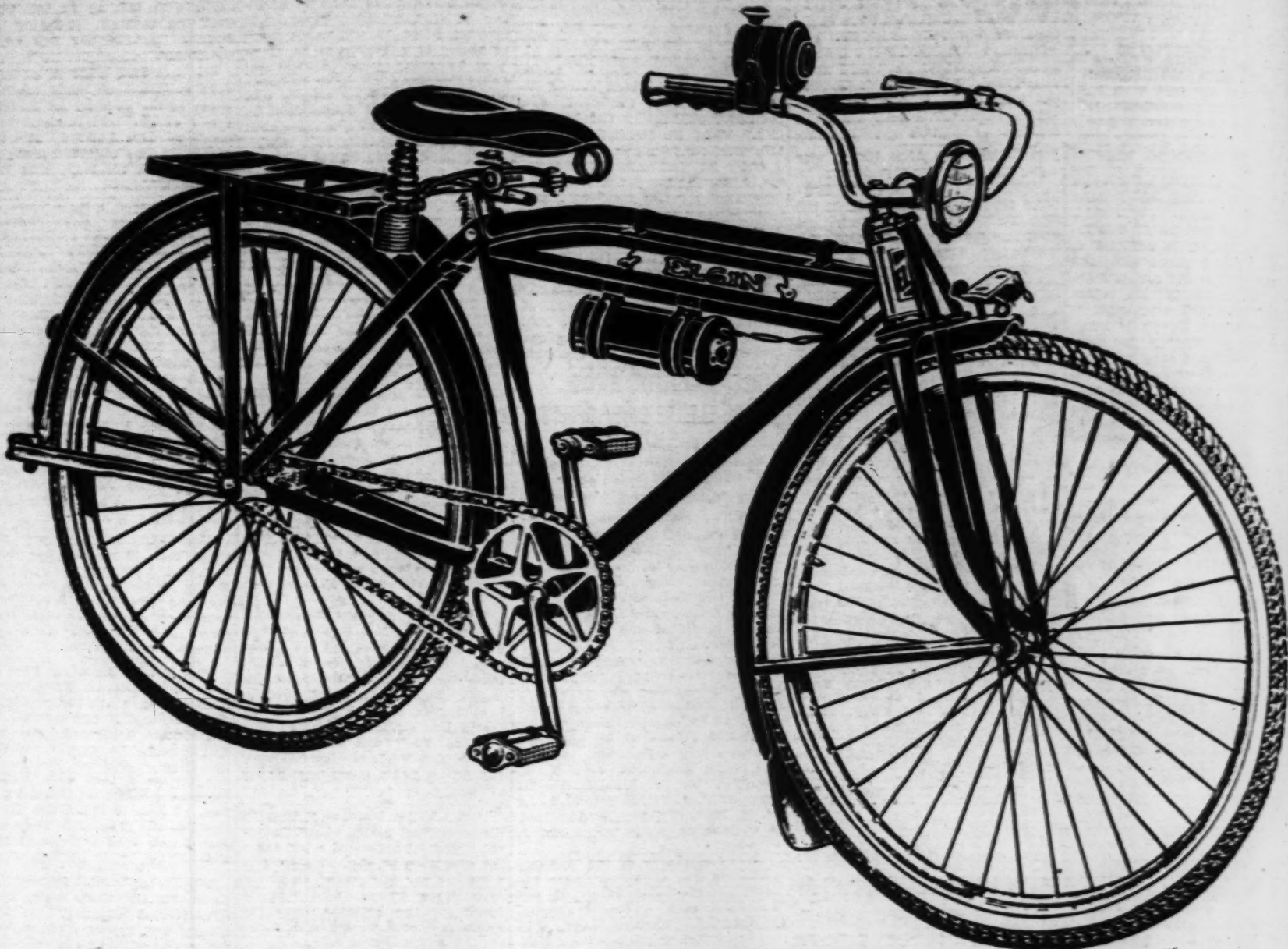
By The Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15. — James Smith, a former gangster, whom police said had tried to "go straight," was shot to death yesterday by an unidentified assailant who had laid in wait for him near the Delaware River waterfront. Smith had been working as a stevedore.

### TEMPERATURES AND PRECIPITATION IN PRINCIPAL CITIES

CITY	Temp. at 9 A. M.	Temp. at 3 P. M.	Temp. at 9 P. M.	Precipitation
Asheville, N. C.	30	40	30	.00
Atlanta, Ga.	40	50	40	.00
Baltimore, Md.	30	40	30	.00
Boston, Mass.	20	30	20	.00
Buffalo, N. Y.	20	30	20	.00
Cairo, Ill.	30	40	30	.00
Charleston, S. C.	40	50	40	.00
Chattanooga, Tenn.	30	40	30	.00
Chicago, Ill.	20	30	20	.00
Cincinnati, Ohio	30	40	30	.00
Cleveland, Ohio	20	30	20	.00
Columbia, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
Columbus, O.	30	40	30	.00
Dallas, Tex.	30	40	30	.00
Denver, Colo.	20	30	20	.00
Des Moines, Ia.	20	30	20	.00
El Paso, Tex.	30	40	30	.00
Indianapolis, Ind.	20	30	20	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
Hannibal, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
Hartford, Conn.	20	30	20	.00
Huron, S. D.	10	20	10	.00
Jacksonville, Fla.	40	50	40	.00
Kansas City, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
Knoxville, Tenn.	30	40	30	.00
Little Rock, Ark.	30	40	30	.00
Los Angeles	50	60	50	.00
Louisville	30	40	30	.00
Memphis	30	40	30	.00
Miami	70	80	70	.00
Mobile, Ala.	40	50	40	.00
Montgomery, Ala.	40	50	40	.00
Nashville, Tenn.	30	40	30	.00
New Orleans	60	70	60	.00
New York	30	40	30	.00
Northampton, Mass.	20	30	20	.00
Oklahoma City	30	40	30	.00
Omaha	30	40	30	.00
Portland, Ore.	30	40	30	.00
Portland, Me.	30	40	30	.00
St. Joseph, Mo.	30	40	30	.00
St. Paul	30	40	30	.00
San Antonio	30	40	30	.00
San Francisco	50	60	50	.00
Seattle	40	50	40	.00
Spokane	30	40	30	.00
Wichita	30	40	30	.00
Yonkers	30	40	30	.00

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Closed Christmas Eve at 6 O'Clock



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Save at Least \$10

MERRY Christmas and Happy Days ahead for every boy who receives an "ELGIN" "CARDINAL" or "BLUE BIRD" Bike! Boy, oh boy... this is the Bike that's wanted... wanted for its sturdy build... wanted for its speed... its brilliant blue or cardinal and white finish... its beautiful speedy racy lines... its extraordinary value and low price.

The "Elgin" comes to every boy fully equipped with a genuine Troxel spring seat, steel armored rims, regulation size frame!

Nothing More to Buy to Make Young America's Christmas a Happy One!

### Here Are a Few of the Features of the "Elgin" Bicycle

Heavy Reinforced Front Fork, Extra Sturdy

Drop-Forged Steel One-Piece Shaft and Crank

Perfectly Designed New Departure Coaster Brake

Exposed Part, Non-Rusting Chromium Plated

Famous Trouble-Free ALLSTATE Bicycle Tires

Bicycles at \$25 and More Sold on Our Easy Payment Plan (Small Carrying Charge)

★ The "Swallow"  
**\$24.95**  
Cash

A bicycle designed expressly for women—has "America" Studded Red Tires—red with white trimmings—New Departure Coaster Brake. 26-in. wheel.

★ The "Oriole"  
**\$26.25**  
Cash

Special Motorbike style with New Departure Coaster Brake—Genuine Troxel saddle—made of 18-gauge steel tubing. Motorbike handle bars. 28-in. wheel.

Ask About Our I. P. Plan  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay

Junior Elgin  
**\$19.95**  
Cash  
20-Inch Wheel  
Heavy, sturdy 14-inch steel tubing frame—New Departure Coaster Brake—Spring seat—front and rear mud guards—roller chain, in flashing red and white.

★ Sidewalk Bikes  
**\$16.95**  
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Real two wheelers for little folks—have genuine New Departure Coaster Brake—light weight sturdy construction—solid rubber balloon tires.

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JUST inhale powerful, penetrating, vapor of a few drops of Steamer in a basin of steaming water. Relieves colds in 10 seconds. Free mass directs effective vapor to nose and throat.

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**Steamer**  
VAPOR TREATMENT

See Real Estate Investments or  
see the Real Estate pages.

**ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH**

**Bomb at Nonunion Man's Home.**  
DANVILLE, Va., Dec. 15.—Ex-  
plosives set off Saturday night at  
the home of a nonunion worker at  
Schoolfield damaged the floor be-  
neath the bedroom in which R. L.

**FOOT CLINIC**  
Consult your Chiropractor or Foot  
Specialist if you have any foot  
trouble. Be sure he is licensed by  
the State Board of Health.  
Open Daily From 7 to 9 P. M.  
214 OLIVIA BLDG. 1023 N. GRAND

Edwards and his wife had retired,  
but injured no one. The dwelling  
is situated on the outskirts of  
Schoolfield at some distance from  
the section patrolled by State  
troops. The blast is the fourth re-  
ported in the last two days in or  
near Schoolfield.

**Accidentally Shot by Brother, 5.**  
By the Associated Press.  
DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 15.—When  
a rifle held by her brother, Billy,  
5 years old, was accidentally dis-  
charged, Eddie Jackson, 3, was shot  
through the hip. Her condition is  
serious.

**CRIMINAL CARELESSNESS**  
**VERDICT IN AUTO FATALITY**  
Assistant Prosecutor, However, Says  
Driver Will be Released Because  
of Insufficient Evidence.

A coroner's verdict of criminal  
carelessness was returned today  
against August H. Zelm Jr., 7709  
Vulcan avenue, in the death yes-  
terday of Timothy Kennedy, 44  
years old, 7122 S. Broadway,  
from injuries suffered Dec. 4 when  
he was struck by an automobile  
which Zelm was backing out of a

parking lot at 7111 South Broad-  
way.  
Assistant Circuit Attorney Len-  
non, however, said Zelm would be  
released because of insufficient  
evidence of carelessness presented  
at the inquest.

The verdict was based on testi-  
mony of only one witness, who said  
Zelm backed out of the lot into the  
street and was at first apparently  
unaware he had struck anyone.

**Discontinue Oil Purchases.**  
PITTSBURG, Dec. 15.—The  
South Penn Oil Co. today an-

nounced that it had discontinued  
purchasing Somerset grade crude  
and Wayne District oils in the lines  
of the Cumberland Pipe Line Co.  
Officials said a racket for the oils  
could not be found.

**Birmingham Banker Kills Self.**  
By the Associated Press.  
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 15.—  
Robert A. Terrell, 48 years old,  
president of the Bank of Alabama  
at Ensley, a suburb, was found  
dead in his home here early today.  
Coroner J. D. Ransom said he had  
shot himself. Mrs. Terrell said her  
husband had been ill.

**ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH**  
**FIGHT ON FRANCHISE**  
**AT CAPE GIRARDEAU**

Fayette City Attorney to Ad-  
dress Second Mass Meeting  
on Eve of Election.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Dec.  
15.—Daniel C. Rogers, City Attor-  
ney of Fayette, advocate of home  
rule of utilities by cities, will ad-  
dress a mass meeting here to-  
night on the eve of an election  
on the proposal to grant a 20-  
year franchise to the Missouri  
Utilities Co. for light and water  
service. The meeting is under  
auspices of opponents of the fran-  
chise.

Rogers was secured for a second  
address following the success of  
his discussion at the first anti-  
franchise mass meeting, held last  
Thursday evening at the Teachers  
College.

Opponents of the franchise as-  
sert that, as a result of Rogers ad-  
dress, many residents who previ-  
ously were inclined toward grant-  
ing a franchise, will now vote  
against it.

Rogers, as told previously, de-  
tailed the evils of franchises and  
compared the Missouri law with  
the laws of Wisconsin under which  
the length of a utility franchise is  
determined by the type of service  
rendered. Rogers suggested that  
Cape Girardeau insert at the very  
least a clause providing for pur-  
chase by the city of the Missouri  
Utilities Co.'s holdings in the event  
the service proves unsatisfactory.

Rogers warned the 500 residents  
attending the meeting that a fran-  
chise is not binding on a utility  
company with reference to rates,  
and that increases in the rate may  
be obtained upon application to  
the State Public Service Commis-  
sion. Overvaluation for the pur-  
poses of rate increases also was  
discussed by the speaker.

Sentiment on the franchise is  
sharply divided. The opponents of  
the ordinance, led by former Mayor  
James A. Barks, presented a peti-  
tion to the City Council signed by  
700 residents, asking that the elec-  
tion be postponed until 1931, when  
the present franchise expires. Pro-  
ponents of the franchise countered  
with a petition containing 900 sig-  
natures requesting that the elec-  
tion be held.

**SIX BANDS, 3000 MOURNERS**

**AT LING SEN YEN'S FUNERAL**

Services for New York Chinatown

Merchant Estimated to Have

Cost \$20,000.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Chin-  
atown had its largest funeral yes-  
terday, since Charlie Boston died  
two years ago, when honor was  
paid Ling Sen Yen, one of the or-  
ganizers of the local On Leong Tong  
and owner of a restaurant at 70  
Mott street, where tourist buses  
stop and tourists spend, much to  
the profit of the neighborhood. He  
died Friday.

There were six bands, in buses,  
at his home, 100 Park street, yes-  
terday afternoon, three of them  
American and three collections of  
weird, strangled instruments of  
China. There was a procession of  
1000 mourners from the Chinese  
Gone Funeral Corporation, the  
only Chinese undertakers here,  
through the East Side, with paper  
dragons floating in the air, on  
poles.

The ceremonies took two hours  
and it was estimated that they cost  
\$20,000.

Ling Sen Yen was 70 years old,  
one of the long-term residents of  
Chinatown and one of its most  
prosperous merchants. The  
mourner of his life were four  
sons, all under 15, who survive  
him. The body was taken to Ev-  
ergreen Cemetery, in Brooklyn,  
for burial.

**RECEIVER FOR AN AFFILIATE**

**OF BANK OF UNITED STATES**

Depository Said to Have \$14,000-

000 Claim; Subsidiary of Firm

Included.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The  
Bankus Corporation, securities af-  
filiate of the Bank of United States,  
and the City Financial Corporation,  
controlled by the Bankus company,  
were placed in equity receivership  
today by Federal Judge Woolsey.  
The Bank of United States, which  
closed and was taken over by the  
State Banking Department last  
week, was said to have a claim of  
\$14,000,000 to \$15,000,000 against  
the Bankus Corporation. The ac-  
tion was said to have been taken  
pending arrangements for reorgan-  
ization.

The Irving Trust Co. was named  
receiver for both corporations.

**PRIZE FOR ANEMIA RESEARCH**

Dr. George H. Whipple and Dr.

George R. Minot Get \$10,000.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Dr.  
George H. Whipple of the school  
of medicine and dentistry at the  
University of Rochester and Dr.  
George R. Minot of the Harvard  
University Medical School, are the  
first winners of an annual \$10,000  
prize for scientific achievement.  
The two physicians discovered  
that a diet of liver will tend to  
cure pernicious anemia by stimu-  
lating the formation of red cor-  
puscles in the blood.

**Illinois Farmer Killed by Bull.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GALESBURG, Ill., Dec. 15.—  
Louis Maitson, 18 years old, a farm-  
er, was killed by a young bull in his  
barnyard today. He was opening  
the gate to send the stock to a pas-  
ture when attached.

**ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH**

**Miss Gertrude Lamont to Wed.**  
By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The  
engagement of Gertrude Lamont,  
daughter of Secretary and Mrs. Lam-  
ont, to Charles E. Eberhart, Salt-  
man, son of Major-General and  
Mrs. Charles M. Saltman, was an-  
nounced Saturday. Major-General  
Saltman is chairman of the Radio  
Commission.

**Colds!**  
require  
prompt treatment  
Quinine is universally re-  
cognized as most effective  
in the treatment of colds.  
Grove's Laxative BROMO  
QUININE combines quinine  
with a laxative to  
cleanse the system.

The  
laxative  
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quick cold  
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Take this bal-  
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East—Miss Florence R. Grant

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With North's hand, would you take  
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Is there a bid in the East or West

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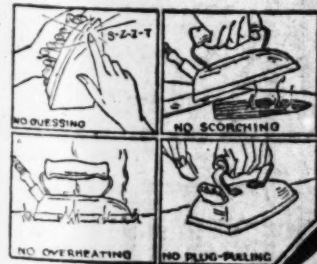
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## WON'T HANDLE FIRE INSURANCE REFUND

Missouri Supreme Court Refuses to Assume Responsibility for Distributing Money.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 15.—The Missouri Supreme Court, en banc, in an opinion today, declined to assume responsibility for the work of calculating and distributing the refund due holders of fire insurance policies under the 10 per cent rate reduction ordered in 1922.

Insurance Superintendent Thompson and Attorney-General Shartel had filed a motion asking the court to appoint a special commissioner or commissioners to determine the amount of refund due each policy holder and supervise the refunding of excess premiums collected by 217 stock fire insurance companies between January, 1922, when the reduction was ordered, and August, 1923, when the rates were reduced.

The opinion, written by Judge Frank E. Atwood, and concurred in by all Judges except Judge J. T. White, held that the court's jurisdiction in the case ended with the April, 1924, term of court, in which it handed down its decision upholding the rate reduction.

Excess premiums involved in the rate reduction case have been estimated at \$14,000,000. The companies unsuccessfully contested payment of all but about \$2,000,000 of this amount, collected during the period from Feb. 1, 1923, to August, 1923, and have been making refunds for this later period. In making refunds on the first period, they have been asking policy holders to supply the numbers of their policies and the amounts of premiums paid, information which many holders cannot supply or can obtain only through their insurance agents.

The reduction, ordered by former Insurance Commissioner Ben C. Hyde, had been held up by litigation until sustained by the State and United States Supreme Courts. During litigation the companies acted as impounding agents for the excess premiums to be refunded if they lost their suits.

"We, of course, do not hold that policy holders who have paid excess premiums under an unlawful rate are without remedy to recover them in a proper proceeding," the Supreme Court said.

## SECOND LAWYER ACCUSED IN INSURANCE SWINDLE

L. L. Lusky Charged With Conspiracy Under Federal Warrant; Grand Jury Investigating.  
Louis L. Lusky, lawyer in the International Life Building, was charged with conspiracy to violate a law of the United States in a warrant issued at the United States District Attorney's office today in connection with the alleged plot by which the Continental Casualty Co. of Chicago was defrauded in the settlement of claims based on fictitious automobile accidents.

## MEAT FROM \$6972 PRIZE CALF TO KOCH HOSPITAL

Patients at Koch Hospital will dine on steaks and other portions of the prize Angus calf, which sold at auction for \$6972, or \$8.30 a pound, at the National Stockyards last week.

The calf, grand champion at the annual Calf Club contest sponsored by the St. Louis Livestock Exchange, was offered to the city by Charles W. Honegger, vice president of the American Packing Co., who called on Mayor Miller today. The Mayor accepted the gift and ordered the meat sent to Koch Hospital.

## U. S. ARGENTINE COMMERCE

By the Associated Press.  
BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 15.—The commercial attaché of the United States embassy has compiled figures showing that exports from Argentina to the United States for October amounted to \$2,625,000, compared with \$11,632,000 for the same month of 1929. Exports for the first 10 months of the year amounted to \$47,000,000, while for the similar period last year they were \$37,000,000.

Imports from the United States also fell, dropping from \$17,152,000 in October last year to \$10,361,000 for the same month of 1929. Imports for the first 10 months of 1930 were \$112,173,000, while last year for the same period they totaled \$181,143,000.

Centerion, Ark., Bank Reopened. Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
CENTERION, Ark., Dec. 15.—The Bank of Centerion, which suspended Dec. 4, when a run was threatened by closing of other banks, reopened yesterday. Cashier Sam Anderson reported deposits for the day were excellent.

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**\$1.88**

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**\$1.59**

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Set consists of large heavy nickel-plated waffle iron, with nylon cord, strap pitcher and large tray 12x20 inches, as pictured.

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Fleece lined sizes 10 1/2 to No. 2. An ideal Xmas gift.

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## MARKETS-SP

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 Wash bundle that  
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 Wash is a Specialty  
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**11 Trucks**

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**MUFFLERS**  
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**TIES**  
 in-hand  
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**1.69 FELT JULIETS**  
 and Everette style Slippers,  
 pretty colors, ribbon  
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## MARKETS-SPORTS

PART THREE.

**Raises Sugar Import Duty.**  
 the Associated Press.  
 CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 15.—The  
 Council of Ministers has increased  
 the sugar import duty from 440 to  
 700 piasters (\$22 to \$140) a ton  
 and at the same time voted to  
 create a Government monopoly.

**A "Different"**  
**Shoe Service**



*Our Methods of Restoring and  
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 Women's Shoes Are Entirely  
 Different and Exclusive!*

*(You can have marred and unwear-  
 able suede shoes turned into good-  
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 lengthened or widened so that they  
 fit comfortably! Leather shoes may  
 be dyed from one color to another.  
 And, of course, we resole footwear  
 using a foreign cement process  
 that requires no nails or sewing.)*

**Famous-Barr Co.**  
 OPERATED BY THE MAY DEPT. STORES CO.

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**(1)—Set High-Vacuum Attachments  
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**Cataract Washer**

*Multi-Vane  
 Type Now* **\$69<sup>95</sup>**

*Formerly Priced \$109.50*

**A WELCOME** arrival at any home it would surely  
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 built to give service indefinitely. It has heavy porcelain  
 tub, swinging reversible wringer with large balloon  
 rolls, and washes 48 pounds of dry clothes in an hour.  
 For limited time you can save \$39.55 on this washer.  
 Sold on liberal deferred payments at slight additional  
 cost.

**\$5 DOWN**—Then \$4.83 Per Month On  
 Your Electric Light Bills.



**(3)—An Electrical Servant That  
 Will Dwell Long in Memory**

**The 1900 Ironer**

**WHAT** home-maker has not entertained the idea  
 of someday having an electric Ironer to help  
 lift the burden of ironing days. The 1900 embodies  
 the desirable features of efficient, automatic operation  
 —has knee and finger controls of operation; may be  
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**\$5 DOWN** Balance in 18 Months at  
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# ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

ST. LOUIS, MONDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1930.

## WANTS--REAL ESTATE

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## WALL STREET LEADERS IN INDUSTRIALS UP; GENERAL LIST LOWER

Such Issues as U. S. Steel,  
 American Can and Ameri-  
 can Telephone Close  
 With Gains of Point—  
 Rails and Coppers Sold  
 Late.

**By the Associated Press.**  
**NEW YORK, Dec. 15.**—Pivotal  
 industrial and utilities offered  
 stubborn resistance to successive  
 waves of selling in today's stock  
 market, although trading swelled  
 to the largest volume since the  
 middle of November, transfers tot-  
 aling about 3,500,000 shares.  
 The heavy selling of Saturday  
 reappeared at the opening, but  
 found the list well bolstered by  
 buying orders, and by early after-  
 noon there were numerous net  
 gains of 1 to 6 points. Selling broke  
 out in the coppers and rails late in  
 the day, however, and the ad-  
 vance in other quarters was large-  
 ly canceled, but many leading in-  
 dustrials closed up a point or so.  
**Steel Closes Higher.**  
 Such issues as United State  
 Steel, American Can, Westing-  
 house, International Telephone,  
 Johns Manville and American Tel-  
 ephone, closed with gains of 1  
 point. Transamerica was a firm  
 spot, closing up 2 points, in re-  
 sponse to announcement of forma-  
 tion of a pool to support it. Bears  
 in this issue were evidently caused  
 by some discomfiture. Coppers  
 were depressed on news that some  
 speculative metal had been offer-  
 ing for sale as low as 9 3/4 cents a  
 pound, although large producers  
 were out of the market. American  
 Smelting lost 2 and Anaconda 2.  
 In the rails, New York Central,  
 Southern Pacific, Canadian Pacific,  
 Frisco and Atlantic Coast Line lost  
 2 to 5 points. Worthington Pump  
 lost 6 points. Oils were sluggish.  
 New York Tractor was buoyant,  
 in response to unconfirmed rumors  
 of a tentative unification agree-  
 ment.

**Call Money Firmer.**  
 The mid-month settlements, in-  
 cluding the Government financing,  
 resulted in a large shifting of  
 funds, estimated as high as \$2,000,-  
 000,000. Call money showed a firm-  
 er tone, although it renewed un-  
 changed at 2 1/2 per cent, and time  
 money rates were pushed up about  
 1/4 per cent. Government financing  
 included the offering of the six  
 and 12 month certificates at 1 1/2  
 and 1 3/4 per cent. In addition,  
 quarterly income tax payments are  
 expected to amount to about \$400,-  
 000,000, and there are numerous  
 corporate dividends being paid. The  
 firmness in money is expected to be  
 short-lived, for the Government, in  
 anticipation of tax payments, is  
 presumably making its usual over-  
 draft at the Reserve banks, thus  
 releasing large sums for the money  
 market.

The news of the weekend was  
 generally viewed as favorable, in-  
 particular reports of holiday trade,  
 which indicated a turnover of  
 goods even higher than that of a  
 year ago in spots, although reports  
 from various sources are uneven.  
 The fresh heaviness of cotton,  
 which recorded still lower levels  
 for the past 15 years, was one of  
 the least cheerful developments.  
 The National Foreign Trade  
 Council issued its annual analysis  
 of foreign trade, and found that  
 world trade in 1929, after making  
 adjustments for changes in price  
 levels, seems to be only about 8  
 per cent lower than in 1929. It  
 pointed out that American exports  
 of manufactured goods have held  
 up well, with the exception of au-  
 tomobiles.

With the exception of cotton,  
 which again dropped to new lows,  
 the commodity markets were most-  
 ly steady to firm. Corn was a firm  
 feature, closing 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 c a bu  
 higher, after selling off most of  
 last week. Receipts were smaller  
 than expected, and weather re-  
 ports bullish. Wheat futures  
 closed unchanged to 1c higher, re-  
 flecting a decrease in the visible  
 supply, and improvement at Win-  
 nipeg. Cotton dropped \$1 to \$1.25  
 in the early trading, recovered and  
 again set doff, closing 75c to \$1  
 a bale lower.

With the exception of sterling,  
 which held about steady, foreign  
 exchanges were inclined to ease.  
 The Spanish peseta lost 1-5 of a  
 cent, reflecting continued unsettle-  
 ment in Spain. The Canadian dol-  
 lar declined further, reaching a  
 discount of 5-32 of a cent. Shang-  
 hai, however, was a little firmer,  
 as silver was in better demand in  
 London.

**Refuses to Review Tax Case.**  
 Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
**WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.**—The  
 Supreme Court of the United States  
 today declined to review the case  
 of Mrs. Adele Kahle of St. Louis  
 contesting an assessment for al-  
 leged delinquent income taxes.

**Rhodes Scholars Selected.**  
 By the Associated Press.  
**SWARTHMORE, Pa., Dec. 15.**—  
 The names of the Rhodes scholars  
 selected this year to represent their  
 states at Oxford are announced by  
 Dr. Frank Aydelotte, president of

Swarthmore College and American  
 secretary to the Rhodes trustees.  
 There were 529 candidates, the  
 largest number ever tried for  
 Rhodes scholarships. Scholars so  
 elected will enter the University of  
 Oxford in October, 1931. For Mis-

souri, Fowler Hamilton, Kansas  
 City, a senior in the University of  
 Missouri, was chosen.

**Beneficiary of Hartness Gift.**  
**LONDON, Dec. 15.**—The Royal  
 Institution for Advancement and

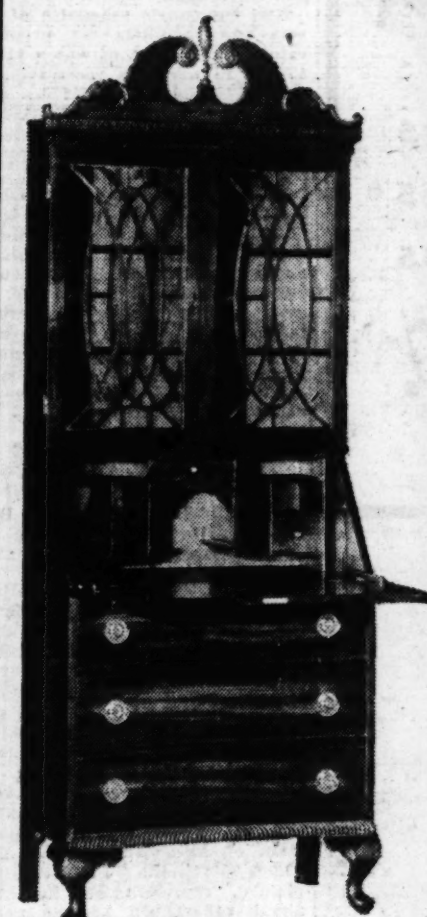
Dissemination of Scientific Knowl-  
 edge is to be the first beneficiary  
 of the Hartness Trust Fund estab-  
 lished by Edward S. Hartness, the  
 American Railway magnate. The  
 institution receives about \$80,000  
 under a grant just announced.

## Lammerts Announce a Timely Offering of 150 Desks and Secretaries at Prices Way Below Regular Levels THE REDUCTIONS AVERAGE 30%

**This Imposing  
 Colonial Secretary  
 \$29.50**

**A Regular \$39.50 Value**

We illustrate, on the left, a handsome Colonial Secretary  
 with drop-lid writing bed with space above for books and  
 three large drawers below. In antique brown mahogany  
 veneers. Secretary is 30 inches wide and 79 inches high.



**This Crotch Mahogany  
 Drop-Lid Desk  
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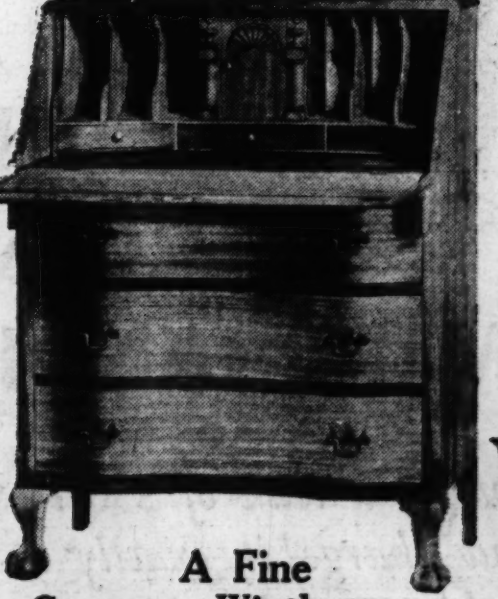
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This exquisitely beau-  
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 Ample drawer space  
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 and 40 inches high.



### Many Other Fine Desks and Secretaries

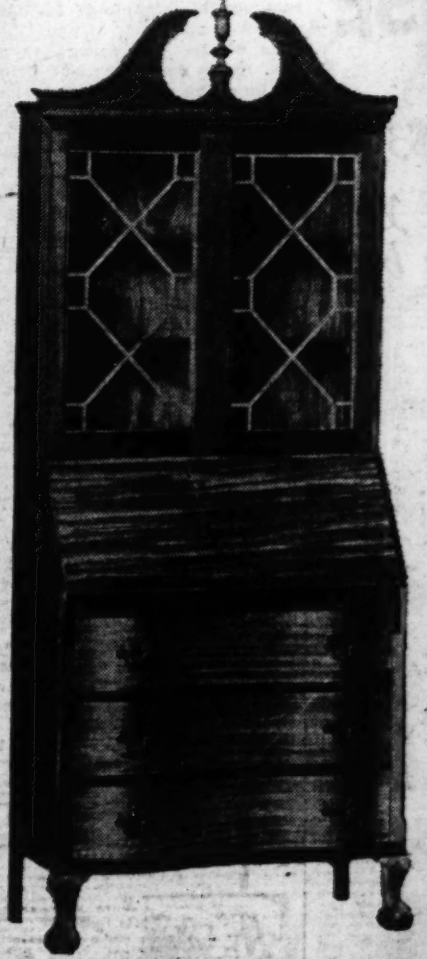
Our Christmas collection of Desks  
 and Secretaries includes all the  
 popular designs besides a number  
 of unusual creations that can only  
 be seen at Lammert's. Maple, ma-  
 hogany, walnut, and oak are some  
 of the woods in which these fine  
 Desks and Secretaries are executed.  
 The prices have been adjusted to  
 new low levels.



**A Fine  
 Governor Winthrop  
 Secretary  
 \$49.50**

**A Regular \$65.00 Value**

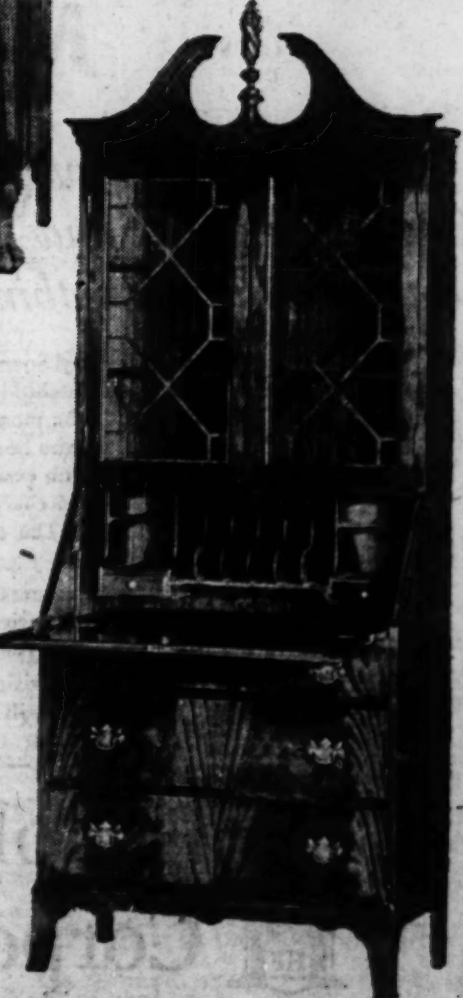
To the left we illustrate a  
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**TESTIFIES TO \$43,000 LOSS IN STOCK MARKET**  
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**TWO N. CAROLINA BANKS CLOSE**  
Weaverville and Mars Hill Depositories Fail to Open.

By the Associated Press.  
WEAVERVILLE, N. C., Dec. 15.—The Farmers and Traders' Bank at Weaverville failed to open this morning, the board of directors closing the bank to conserve the assets for depositors. The bank had resources of \$498,000 and deposits of \$381,000.  
By the Associated Press.  
MARS HILL, N. C., Dec. 15.—Directors closed the Bank of Mars Hill today for the protection of depositors. The bank, a small one, had a capital of \$15,000, surplus of \$18,000 and deposits of \$165,000.

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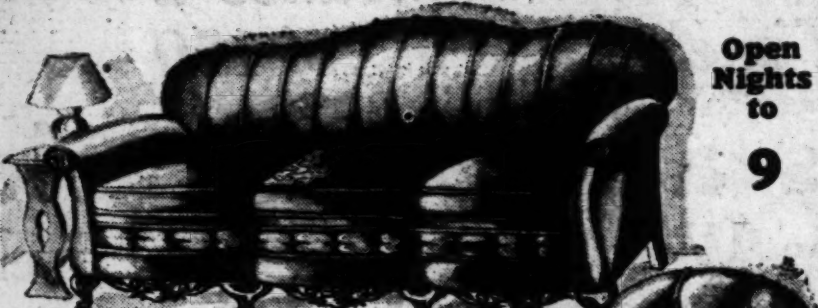
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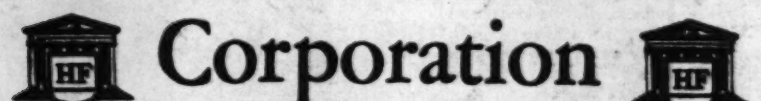
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**DRIVING NITROGLYCERIN DEAD BY POLICEMAN**  
A man was shot to death by a policeman who gave the name of Morgan of Pittsburgh, who was seriously injured as two policemen ran in opposite directions. The man who was killed, police carried a bottle of nitroglycerin and several fuses. The autopsied a theory he was a well-known gangster here for a particular job. The man called himself Moran said he had been here two weeks, living at a house, and had met his companion only two hours before.

**PAINTING OF MRS. HOOVER**  
California Artist Is Commissioned by Girl Scouts.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Gleb Ilyin, San Francisco artist, said today he has been commissioned to paint the portrait of Mrs. Herbert Hoover. The Girl Scouts of California have ordered the portrait, Ilyin said, which will be hung in the National Girl Scouts headquarters in New York. Mrs. Hoover is an honorary president of the national organization. Ilyin said he arranged with Mrs. Hoover for the first sitting on Jan. 14.

**SENATE COMMITTEE APPROVES FOUR FOR POWER COMMISSION**  
Without Vote on McNinch Until New Senator From North Carolina Can Be Heard.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—As a mark of courtesy, the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee today postponed voting on the nomination of Frank B. McNinch, Independent Democrat, of North Carolina, as a member of the Federal Power Commission, until Cameron Morrison, appointed successor to the late Senator Overman of North Carolina, could give his views tomorrow regarding the appointment. Approval was given the four other nominees. There was no opposition to Ralph B. Williamson of Washington and Claude L. Draper of Wyoming, but Senator Dill of Washington opposed confirmation of George Otis Smith, at present director of the Geological Survey, and joined with Senators Wheeler, Howell and Brookhart against Marcel Garsaud of Louisiana. Although McNinch and Morrison are neighbors in Charlotte, N. C., it is not known whether the new Senator will oppose McNinch's confirmation. Senator Robinson, Democratic leader, has announced that he will oppose the nominee on the ground that the spirit of the law intended the appointment of a regular Democrat. In 1928 McNinch supported Hoover and Curtis against Smith and Robinson and in 1930 voted for the Republican Congressman from his district. McNinch conferred this morning with President Hoover.

**BANKER DEPORTED BY MEXICO**  
Swiss Negotiating for Foreign Loans Tells of Expulsion.  
By the Associated Press.  
HAVANA, Dec. 15.—The Swiss banker, Louis Gallopin, who came into notice because of his negotiations for Mexican foreign loans, today told of being deported from Mexico for alleged activities against the Mexican Government. Gallopin was allowed to disembark here from the French steamer Espagne late yesterday. The banker said that the apparent cause for his deportation was a number of letters he had written to Mexican Treasury officials concerning interest on the Lamont-Montes-De Oca agreement. He said he received no answer to these letters. Dec. 10 he was arrested by Mexican secret police, escorted to a flying field, ordered into a plane, and, in the company of two secret police, was taken by air to Vera Cruz, where he boarded the Espagne.

**RESCUE FLYER TO WED NURSE**  
Will Marry Girl at Hospital to Which He Took Survivors.  
By the Associated Press.  
WHITE HORSE, Yukon Territory, Dec. 15.—The engagement of Everett Wasson, California flyer who recently rescued two aerial passengers from the frozen wilds of Northern British Columbia, to Miss Florence Gertrude Jones, a hospital nurse here, has been announced. Wasson located the plane of Capt. E. J. A. Burke, Canadian flyer who had been missing more than a month in the Llard River District, and later rescued Emil Kading and Robert Marten, the passengers, who with Burke had abandoned the plane. Wasson found Kading and Marten guarding the body of Capt. Burke, who perished as the three attempted to mush their way to aid. Kading and Marten became patients in the hospital where Miss Jones works.

**BANK CASHIER SHOTS HIMSELF**  
Brashcar (Mo.) Man Wounded in Kansas City Hotel.  
Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 15.—Charles Davis, 63 years old, cashier of the closed State Bank of Brashcar, Mo., attempted to kill himself today in a room he and Mrs. Davis had occupied for several days at Hotel Dixon. Leaving his wife in the lobby with their baggage, he said he had forgotten something in the room after checking out, returned to the room and shot himself in the forehead.

**NARCOTICS FISHED FROM JAY**  
\$56,000 Shipment Dropped From Lamer at San Francisco.  
By the Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Customs inspectors yesterday fished five sacks containing narcotics they valued at \$56,000 from San Francisco Bay. Inspectors said members of the crew of the S. S. Asama Maru dropped the narcotics into the bay after the steamer docked. Chang Yung, Chinese roomboy, and Wong Ching, second cook on the Japanese liner, were arrested.

**ILLINOIS BANKER KILLS SELF**  
SESSER, Ill., Dec. 15.—Donald Lionberger, 59 years old, cashier of the defunct First National Bank of Sesser which was ordered closed last Saturday, committed suicide here today by shooting himself in the head. The body of Lionberger who recently was married, was found in his automobile in the garage at the rear of his home. Officers of the bank said no shortage has been discovered.

**BRITONS WOULD END HANGINGS**  
By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Dec. 15.—Abolition of the death penalty for an experimental period of five years is recommended in the report of the Parliamentary Committee on Capital Punishment made public tonight. Chicago Tribune Denied Rehearing. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 15.—A rehearing of the Chicago Tribune's \$2,500,000 suit against Mayor William Hale Thompson, which the Mayor won on appeal, was denied by the Supreme Court this morning.

**TRAINMEN WILL SHARE JOBS**  
Spokane Workers Vote to Help Those on Extra List.  
By the Associated Press.  
SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 15.—Railroad trainmen and switchmen representing six lines in Spokane voted yesterday to share their jobs with the unemployed. Trainmen agreed to surrender work up to the trainmen's national organization, 1000 miles a month, depending on the length of their runs, and switchmen gave four days a month. The trainmen stipulated, however, that they would surrender work only after they had run a minimum of 3300 or a maximum of 3600 miles. The work will be given seniority holders on the extra list. The proposition must be approved by the trainmen's national organization.

**ALFRED HOLMAN, EDITOR, DIES**  
California World Peace Advocate and Carnegie Trustee.  
By the Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Alfred Holman, 73 years old, veteran Pacific Coast editor and advocate of world peace, died yesterday at Rollins, Cal., after a heart attack. Holman for 17 years was editor of the Weekly Argonaut and other papers. He was trustee of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace and a member of the advisory board of the Pulitzer School of Journalism at Columbia University, New York.

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Associated Press.

ing gasp in the East added little like three-quarters of a dollars to the fund for the day over the week end. The approximate \$509,000 the Army-Navy game Yankee Stadium Saturday added another \$150,000 yesterday when The New York Giants' National Professional Football League conquerors of the "Notre Dame" All-Stars, 22 to 0, won 50,000 excited spectators the Polo Grounds. The financial figures on the games were not available immediately, but it was estimated could reveal profits not in excess of \$750,000.

**Decides Game.** The Giants' victory over Rock-

teamwork over a somewhat disorganized group of individuals. In the All-Stars' linear various intervals were such as figures as the "Four Horsemen": Stuhldreher, Crowley, Miller, and Ryden, as well as Frank Cannan and Buck O'Connor of the Notre Dame team; Jack Elder, Al Womely, Adam Walsh, Ike Smith, John Law, Tim Moynihan, and Jack Chignely. Jack Cannan was another South Bend star of the past.

In this collection of notables at the time he was able to cope with the offense and rugged de-

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to win, making 12 first to three for the Navy, but a twisting dash of 57 yards by a senior back gave the Cadets only two points of the game in the fourth period.

More interest, perhaps, was possible if this game might on future athletic relations between the two Government academies. The split occurred after the 1922 football game, when a consensus was that this would have no effect what-soever on the differences between the two schools. In fact, when the matter was arranged, spokesmen on both sides agreed that the controversy held in abeyance only long enough to permit the game to be played for charity. Neither side has shown a disposition to recede from the position taken when the game was

# O I SHOT WINS RENCH RACE FEATURE

Associated Press.

TEUIL, France, Dec. 15.—  
A getaway day at Auteuil,  
the metropolitan racing me-  
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will do their racing at the  
Ch Riveria at Nice, Monte Car-  
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**Rope Wins Trapshoot.**  
**ANNAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 15.**—  
 Pops of East Moline, Ill., won  
 December flyer tournament of  
 Annas City shooting park last  
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**BAKED BEANS WITH PRUNES**

Combine This Versatile Fruit With Other Foods.

Home cooks seldom plan to use prunes in combination dishes, yet prunes are versatile and combine well with many and various other foods.

For instance, try baking beans with prunes. The combination is both palatable and wholesome.

**Baked Beans With Prunes.**

Two and one-half cups navy beans, one teaspoon soda, one-fourth pound salt pork, two tablespoons dark molasses, three teaspoons prepared mustard, one cup prunes, one-half teaspoon paprika, one-fourth teaspoon Tabasco sauce and one-half teaspoon salt.

Boil prunes 20 minutes. Cover beans with plenty of water, add soda, and boil 10 minutes. Drain, add fresh hot water and boil 30 minutes; add salt pork and boil one hour; remove pork.

Drain beans and combine with molasses, mustard, paprika, tabasco sauce, and salt. Mix well, add prunes, and pour into a baking dish. Place pork in the center. Bake about two hours in a moderate oven.

# Home Economics

## CANDIED CHESTNUTS ARE CALLED MARRONS

Persons Fond of Delicacies Place Great Stress on These Dainties.

Marrons is the distinguished name for crystallized chestnuts. Chestnuts so treated are included in the list of table delicacies. While these candied nuts are very intricate to prepare any home cook who is interested in making table delicacies will find the secret of making marrons is attention to the details.

An excellent recipe to follow is this one.

One pound chestnuts, one tea-

spoon butter, one-third cup lemon juice, cold water, two cups sugar, two cups water, one teaspoon vanilla.

Cut a half-inch gash on flat side of chestnuts and put in frying pan with butter. Shake over fire until butter is melted. Put in hot oven and let stand 5 minutes. Remove from oven, and with a small knife take off shells and skins.

Cover chestnuts with cold water, add lemon juice and soak over night. Drain, cover with boiling water, simmer gently until tender, and drain.

Put sugar and water in saucepan, stir until sugar is dissolved, boil 5 minutes, add vanilla and chestnuts, and keep hot, without boiling for two hours.

Drain syrup from nuts, boil until it spins a long thread, pour over the nuts and leave over night. Repeat.

Again drain, add one teaspoon corn syrup and boil until syrup spins a thread. Add chestnuts and allow syrup to boil up once over the nuts.

Remove from fire, stir gently until syrup begins to grain, and remove chestnut quickly to buttered tin. Serve in paper cases.

## HOME-MADE CANDIES FOR XMAS GIVING

Amateur Cooks Should Stick to the Simple, Easily Made Varieties.

Everyone likes good home-made candy, but the emphasis should be strong on the good, meaning good in texture and flavor and appearance. The simplest candies can answer this description as well as the most elaborate confections, and the amateur will do well to concentrate on making these plainer varieties. There are so many styles of decorative containers nowadays that these can be made to look very dainty.

A professional candy maker would never think of cooking a batch of candy without using a thermometer. To be assured of the mixture reaching the right temperature. Even more important, if possible, is this for the amateur. Most candies are made from sugar syrup of one form or another, and the degree to which this is cooked, determines whether the candy shall be soft or creamy, chewy or hard and brittle. Fudge and fruit flavored creams are the best example of the first, caramels of the second and nut brittle or crisp, of the third. Most sugar syrup crystallizes very readily if it is stirred while cooking unless it has white corn syrup or some other form of glucose added to it. Even then stirring should be a cautious and careful business.

The following recipes for candies will prove helpful for the Christmas dinner table. Follow directions exactly, be accurate in measuring and in the cooking temperature, and success will follow.

**Chocolate Fudge.**

Melt three tablespoons butter in a heavy saucepan, add four squares (one-quarter pound) unsweetened chocolate, cut in small pieces, and stir over a very slow fire until the chocolate is melted. Remove from the fire and add three cups fine granulated sugar, one tablespoon white corn syrup, one-quarter teaspoon salt and one cup milk plus two tablespoonsful. Stir over a slow fire until the sugar is dissolved and the mixture is blended, then boil without stirring until a candy thermometer registers 240 degrees. If trying to work without a thermometer, boil the syrup until a little of it dropped in a cup of cold water will form a ball that can be picked up and rolled between the fingers. Remove at once from the fire, pour in one and one-half teaspoons vanilla extract and let the mixture stand without stirring or moving until it is nearly cold. Then beat with a strong spoon until thick and creamy. Pour into a buttered pan, press into shape with the palm of the hand and mark into squares. Make: one and one-half pounds.

**Cocoanut Almond Crisp.**  
Heat three tablespoons clear honey in a small heavy pan, then add two cups granulated sugar and stir constantly over a slow fire until the sugar is melted and a clear light brown in color. Before melting the sugar have ready one-quarter pound blanched almonds that have been coarsely chopped and toasted in a moderate oven until a light tan. Have also one-quarter pound shredded, dried cocoanut. When the sugar is ready, stir the nuts and cocoanut into it, mix quickly and pour at once into a large, shallow, buttered pan. Spread out with the back of a spoon into a thin sheet. Mark into squares and break apart when cold and brittle. Any nuts may be substituted for the combination mentioned here.

**Mint Wafers.**  
Soak one teaspoon gelatin in one tablespoon cold water for five minutes and then dissolve in one tablespoon boiling water. It may be necessary to finish dissolving the gelatin over hot water. No specks of it must be visible. When entirely dissolved, add gradually one cup confectioner's sugar, stirring it in thoroughly and beating until smooth. Next add one teaspoon essence of peppermint or four drops of oil of peppermint, and then work in more confectioner's sugar to make a smooth, very thick mixture that is just too soft to handle comfortably. Drop from a spoon into a small spoon onto heavy waxed paper, leaving plenty of space between each wafer. Let stand until dry. The mixture may be divided before the peppermint is added, and one part colored pink and flavored with a little wintergreen. If this is done use only half as much of the peppermint.

**Molding Gelatine Dishes.**  
The mixture is poured into the mold, preferably a metal one which has been rinsed in cold water, and allowed to set. When ready to serve, dip the mold into warm water almost to the top and hold there for a few seconds. Then hold the serving dish over the mold and invert the mold. Tilt the mold slightly to let in air. A knife, if used with care, may aid in removing the mixture.

**Salmon Salad Delicious.**  
Mix together thoroughly contents one can of salmon, three cups finely chopped cabbage, one can grated pineapple, one cup chopped blanched almonds, mayonnaise to moisten. Serve on shredded lettuce. Place a spoonful of mayonnaise on each serving and garnish with narrow strips of pimento. Makes six very generous helpings.

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## KEEP A LOAF OF HOMEMADE NUT BREAD IN THE PANTRY

Nice to Have on Hand for Sweet Sandwiches for Afternoon Tea.

A loaf of nut bread is convenient to have on hand. It is easily made and it comes in handy for sandwiches for the afternoon tea.

**Nut and Fruit Salad.**

Soak one tablespoon gelatin in one-fourth cup cold water for five minutes. Heat one cup pineapple juice and dissolve the gelatin in it. Add one-fourth cup sugar, one-fourth cup orange juice and one-fourth cup vinegar and stir thoroughly. Allow mixture to cool, and when starting to congeal, fold in one cup orange sections cut in small pieces, one cup pineapple, cut in small pieces, and three-fourths cup walnut meats, chopped. Pour into individual molds and chill. Serve with mayonnaise.

**Nut Bread.**  
Here is a recipe for a nut bread that makes one loaf.  
Sift three cups of flour, resist

with three teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt. Add one cup nuts, chopped. Then cream three tablespoons butter, add one cup sugar, one egg, well beaten, one and one-fourth cups milk, and one add the flour mixture. Stir only until smooth.

Bake in greased pan, loaf measuring 9x4x3 inches, in a 350 oven for one hour and 10 minutes.

**A Good Rule to Follow.**

Most people make a rule to eat at least two leafy vegetables a day with one starchy vegetable. Every one would fare far better if he ate four or five leafy and green vegetables each day. Canned vegetables will supply the same vitamins and minerals and the bulk which the fresh vegetables supply if the fresh vegetables are too expensive or are not on the market.

**Nice Pudding Sauce.**

Whip white of one egg and one cup of sugar to a stiff froth. Whip separately one cup of thick cream to a solid froth. Mix lightly together, flavor with two tablespoons grape juice.

## THIS SPAGHETTI DISH IS CALLED RED 'N' GREEN

Sweet Peppers and Tomatoes Inspired the Selection of the Colorful Name.

Red 'n' green is a tested spaghetti recipe which calls for four ounces of spaghetti broken into one and one-half inch pieces, four green peppers, four large tomatoes, one-half cup grated cheese, one cup chopped cooked ham, two teaspoons Worcestershire sauce and buttered bread crumbs.

Cook spaghetti until tender. Drain. Cut tops from green peppers, remove seeds and parboil five to 10 minutes. Cut tops from tomatoes and remove inside meat and seeds. Mix spaghetti, tomato centers, ham, cheese and Worcestershire sauce. Stuff peppers and tomato shells with this mixture, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate oven for about 30 minutes.

Before stuffing shells, taste mixture and if necessary add salt.

## Home Economics

### MARLOWS ARE NEW IN THE DESSERT LINE

Have Come Into Fashion as Easily Prepared Icy-Cold Desserts.

Marlows are first cousins to the mousers, for they both use gelatin as their stiffening "agent." Only in the case of marlows, gelatin is introduced by means of marshmallows, while in mousers it is added in dissolved granulated form.

Like a mouser, a marlow can be

prepared not only hours ahead of a meal, but even the day before, if desired. And when once it is in the freezing compartment, it can be dismissed from mind. Smooth and velvety in texture, flavor can be varied to suit any taste.

In the preparation of marlows, a few general rules should be observed:

First: Always melt the marshmallows thoroughly. If steamed long enough they become liquefied and in some instances quite clear.

Second: This foundation must be allowed to stiffen slightly before the cream is added.

Third: If vegetable coloring is used, it should be added to the foundation while hot or certainly before combining with the cream. It is impossible to give directions as to the exact amount of coloring to use. The addition of the cream lightens the color; so make your foundation a deeper shade than you wish the finished product to be.

Marlows may be served plain, with any desired sauce or garnish, or used in any way you would use ice cream of similar flavor.

Two or three flavors can be arranged in layers in the freezing trays and sliced when ready; or each kind can be frozen separately and put into deep glasses in alternating spoonfuls.

Here are recipes which show how this new type of icy-cold dessert is made:

**Chocolate Mocha Marlow.**  
Use one square chocolate, one cup strong coffee, few grains of salt, 15 marshmallows, one-third cup chopped nut meats and one cup whipping cream.

Melt chocolate in a double boiler with marshmallows, add coffee and salt. Cool. When slightly thickened add the whipped cream and nuts, pour into tray of refrigerator. Freeze from six to eight hours.

**Pear Marlow.**  
One cup crushed canned pears, four tablespoons pear juice, three tablespoons syrup from preserved ginger, three tablespoons lemon juice, 15 marshmallows and one-half pint whipping cream.

Steam the marshmallows in pear juice over hot water until marshmallows are melted. Add the crushed fruit, ginger syrup and lemon juice; cool. When quite cold and slightly stiffened, carefully combine with the stiffly beaten cream. Pour into trays and freeze.

**Pimiento Potato Puffs.**  
To a quart of well-seasoned and well-beaten mashed potatoes add the yolk of two eggs (or one egg slightly beaten) and two minced pimientos drained of all juice. Fill lightly in a buttered glass baking dish or casserole and place in a hot oven 10 minutes. Serve in the baking dish.

**Banana Shortcake.**  
Make individual shortcakes. Split and butter while hot and spread layer with sliced bananas and add marshmallows cut into eighths. Garnish with whipped cream.

**Candied Pineapple.**  
Canned pineapple may be drained and candied. Use the juice for the liquid of the syrup. Cook the syrup until it forms a firm ball, then add the pineapple and cook again until it reaches the firm-ball stage. Remove from the fire and cool. Stir until the sugar syrup crystallizes.

**Apple Statistics.**  
The importance of apples as a crop is apparent when it is remembered that one state, alone, the State of Washington, annually produces this fruit to the value of more than \$30,000,000.

## CHICKEN A LA KING MAKES AN INTERESTING SANDWICH

Sandwiches Are Most Convenient to Serve for Informal Refreshments.

After all is said and done about informal home entertaining, assorted hearty sandwiches daintily made and attractively garnished are an appreciative company.

As the holiday season is near at hand the following sandwich recipe may be found useful for prospective hostesses.

**Chicken Sandwiches.**  
Cut bread in quarter-inch slices. Spread lightly with creamed butter and then arrange thinly sliced chicken between slices of bread. Sprinkle chicken very sparingly with celery salt. Toast until delicately browned on both sides.

**Chicken a la King Sandwich.**  
Finely chop one-fourth cup mushrooms and cook five minutes in one tablespoon butter. Sprinkle with one-fourth teaspoon salt. Add one cup chopped cold cooked chicken six tablespoons well seasoned white sauce one tablespoon minced sweet red pepper one-eighth teaspoon paprika a dash of cayenne and a few drops onion juice. Spread between buttered slices of graham bread. Toast delicately, garnish with crisp celery tips and serve immediately.

**How Tea Quality is Based**  
The More Delicate the Leaf, the Better the Tea.

Tea quality is based to a large extent on the size of the leaf. Other factors being equal, the smaller and, therefore, the more delicate the leaf, the better the tea.

"Tea leaves are graded as follows: "Souichong" is the large coarse leaf near the bottom of the shoot. "Pekoe Souichong" is next and is the grown leaf. "Pekoe" is smaller still and more tender while the smallest and most tender leaves on the tea plant are called "Orange Pekoe."

The term "Black Tea" is used to designate tea which has been oxidized, or allowed to ferment during the process of manufacture. This tea turns black in color after firing because of the oxidation it has undergone. Green tea on the other hand is not allowed to oxidize during manufacture, and so keeps its original color.

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YOUR  
Neighborhood  
PANTRY

## IDAHO RUSSET Potatoes

25-Cloth Bag

59c

CARROTS Bunch 5c

Washington Box  
Jonathan

Apples  
EXTRA FANCY

2 LBS. 15c

Pan Rolls  
Light, Fluffy. Delivered  
to Stores Fresh Daily.

Doz. 5c

Whole Wheat Loaf, 10c

Guaranteed Selected  
EGGS

Every One Candled  
Country Club, Carton, 30c

Avondale  
Bulk, Doz. 25c

Pillsbury  
PANCAKE  
FLOUR

For Light, Tender,  
Delicious Pancakes,  
Made Quickly

2 Pkgs. 25c

CREAM  
CHEESE

Fresh, Healthful, American

Lb. 23c

FARMER JONES  
Sorghum

Pure Country

23-Oz. Jug 23c

AVONDALE  
Pineapple

Fancy Grated No. 2 Can

24c

## Ready FOR THE Holidays



FANCY MIXED  
NUTS

Paper shell pecans, large washed Brazils, soft shell walnuts and delicious almonds. Compare their quality with any in the city and you will realize what a value this is. Lb.

29c

Diamond Brand Walnuts—Calif., lb., 35c  
Large Paper Shell Pecans, lb., 49c

FRUIT CAKE



Rich  
Flavorful

Of course you'll want at least one Country Club Fruit Cake. It's a time-honored custom in many, many homes. One look—one whiff—one bite—and you know that it's full of goodness down to the last crumb.

2-Lb. Box, 85c  
Lb. Fancy Tin \$1.35

Gold Medal Cake Flour—Large pkg., 25c  
Mince Meat—Country Club, 10c  
Nonesuch ..... 15c  
Orange or Lemon Peel—Pkg., 13c  
Avondale Pineapple—No. 2 can only 22c

## Choice of seasonable merchandise

Turkeys, nuts, candy, cranberry sauce—what a host of good things there will be. You'll want the best of everything, but at low prices, too. The new merchandise is in now. Stocks are complete. Make Kroger Stores your headquarters for all food supplies—and get the quality you want at the right price.



FANCY ASSORTED  
CHOCOLATES

Here is one of the biggest candy values on the market today. A great assortment of cream, nut and nougat centers, covered with rich chocolate. Packed in a handsome holiday box, it is ideal for home consumption or as a gift. Comparison will prove its value!

5-Lb. Box \$1.29

Fruit and Nut-Filled Candy, lb., 19c  
French Cream and Jelly Mix, lb., 19c  
Old-Fashioned Cut Rock Candy, lb., 17c  
Fresh, Crisp Peanut Brittle, lb., 19c  
Assorted Chocolates; bulk, lb., 19c  
Creamy Chocolate Drops, lb., 19c



GOLDEN HALLOW  
DATES

New 1930 crop, fancy imported, Persian dates. As healthful as they are delicious. And what a value they are at this very low price. Bulk, lb.

10c

Country Club Pitted Dates—Pkg., 20c  
Fancy Layer Figs—Lb., 29c

COUNTRY CLUB OLIVES



the  
appetizer  
supreme

No dinner or luncheon is complete without olives. They add joy to the meal—color to the table—and are really healthful.

In Country Club you are assured of getting only the best—for we import and pack them ourselves. Every olive must be perfect. Large Quarters—½ pt. jar, 15c pt. jar, 25c; stuffed—pt. jar, 35c. Stuffed—½ Pint Jar

23c

Country Club Maraschino Cherries, 10c  
Ralston's Whole Wheat Flour—Pkg., 23c  
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, Pkg., 12½c  
Milk—Pint, 6c—Quart, 11c

**P & G**  
Famous Laundry Soap  
Buy now for holiday housecleaning

8 Bars 25c  
10 Bars 49c

**CHRISTMAS BOOKS**  
Food is the most agreeable gift. On sale at Kroger Stores—redeemable at Kroger Stores for groceries, meats or produce. Give one to Neighbors, Employees, Newlyweds, Club prizes, Yourself.

\$2.50 \$5

**CAMPBELL'S SOUP**  
Healthful, Invigorating Tastes

3 Cans 23c  
Dozen Cans, 89c

## Choice quality FRESH and SMOKED MEATS

PORK CHOPS

FRESH LEAN  
Ground Meat

Lb. 25c

CORN MEAL  
MUSH Pkg. 10c

Order Now—Holiday  
POULTRY

Now is the time to plan what you will serve at the Christmas feast. Whatever the meat or poultry dish will be, Kroger meat managers will be glad to help you. Poultry especially. For many are the housewives who know that Kroger poultry will not disappoint—and yet the price is reasonably low. Place your order now. Our manager will give it most careful attention and will make every effort to see that you are entirely satisfied.

Lean End Cuts From Young Porkers  
CHOICE CENTER CUTS, Lb., 21c

CHOICE SPRING  
LAMB

STEW 2 Lbs. 25c  
Choice Chops, Lb. 39c

COUNTRY CLUB  
Sliced Bacon ½ Lb. 23c

Cellophane Wrapped Pkg. 23c

## SWEET JUICY Grapefruit

80 SIZE, EACH

5c

SPINACH Lb. 5c

Tender Well Bleached  
Celery

Large Stalks, each 10c

2 Med. Stalks 15c

SODA  
Crackers

PLAIN OR SALTED

Lb. Carton 15c

Pineapple  
BAR CAKE

Fresh Baked Daily

25c

Chocolate Graham Lb. 25c

CREAMO-NUT Lb. 21c

CREAMO Lb. 25c

BULK  
RICE

FANCY BLUE ROSE

4 Lbs. 25c

POMPEIAN  
OLIVE OIL

Pint Size 60c

½-Pint Size 32c

MAZOLA  
OIL

Pint Size 29c

GOLDEN BANTAM  
CORN

Country Club, No. 2 Can

15c

## THOMAS

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In the Downtown Food District. Visit Our New Store at Broadway and Morgan. It pays to come downtown. Read this ad, make a comparison and learn why more people are coming downtown. One hour parking allowed. Open till 11 P. M. till 10 P. M.

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SMOKED CALI HAMS  
FR. SPARERIBS  
FRESH OX TAILS  
FRESH PIG TAILS  
CHUCK STEAKS

EGGS  
Strictly  
Candled,  
In Carton.  
Doz. 21

ORANGES, 2 Doz., 25  
SLICED BACON Lb. 25  
MIXED NUTS All New Crop Lb. 20

Rabbits Fresh 25  
Salt Jowls, Lb., 10  
Bacon Strips, Lb. 16

OYSTERS Fresh 60  
Quart 60

BUTTER  
Thomas' Blue Ribbon, Pure, Fresh, Churned, Ed. Lb. Carton 32

PORK LOIN ROAST, Lb. 17½  
FLOUR 24 Lb. 65

FRESH PIG FEET  
FRESH NECK BONE Lb. 5  
FRESH HOG MEATS

SUGAR TOMATOES  
Pure Fine 5 Lbs. 24  
Grain

WENERS  
POLISH  
MINCED HAM Lb. 20

Walnut Corn 2 No. 2 15  
No. 2 25







ILLINOIS MOBILIZES  
SNOW EQUIPMENTPrepares to Keep 9200  
Miles of Highway Open  
This Winter.

By Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 15.—

Two hundred miles of high-

way to be kept open, no mat-

ter how heavy the snow, is the

problem of the planning of the

Highway Department. To-

day the department announced it

is ready for the worst.

Manpower and machinery have

been mobilized and more than 50

miles of snow fence have been

put up along the worst drifts are

likely to occur. The highways will

be kept open to traffic through-

out the winter—1931 is human-

ity, the department promised.

There are more than 9,000 miles

of good road, and more than 100

miles of State aid roads.

The snow equipment has been

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ILLINOIS BILL REGULATING  
AND TAXING BUSES PLANNEDRepresentative W. C. Chynoweth to  
Ask House Transportation Com-  
mittee to Draft Measure.

By Associated Press.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 15.—Legis-

lation to regulate and tax motor

buses and trucks which use Illi-

nois hard roads will be proposed in

the House of Representatives early

next session, State Representative

W. C. Chynoweth of Decatur said

today. This part of the State, he

said, has a particular interest in

seeing that motor buses and trucks

bear an equitable share of the bur-

den of maintenance of the hard-

road system, in that buses and

trucks have contributed largely to

the slump in railroad traffic, which

has thrown almost 30,000 employ-

ees out of work.

"Early in the session," he said,

"I intend to ask the House Trans-

portation Committee to draft a

regulatory bill, so that it will merit

close scrutiny and quicker action

than the bill might otherwise in-

cur. I expect there may be as

many as 20 or 25 bills on the sub-

ject from various members, and

probabilities are, none of them

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FIRMS THAT FIGHT  
FOR TRADE GET ITJulius H. Barnes Says, How-  
ever, Business Revival Hasn't  
Met 'Sanguine Expectations.'

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The

success of those industries that re-

fused to be downed by depressed

conditions has been singled out by

Julius H. Barnes, chairman of the

National Business Survey Confer-

ence, in a survey which relates the

failure of general "sanguine expec-

tations" for quickened trade by the

end of the year. Many American

industries, said Barnes, have adapt-

ed themselves to the conditions, bal-

ancing successfully production and con-

sumption.

"Even during this recession," he

said, "the aggregate volume of

trade has manifestly been of large

proportions and there are indica-

tions of individual industries suc-

cessful beyond the average, either

because of special conditions or be-

cause of management qualities,

courage, initiative and enterprise,

which are typically American."

The new report covers the most

lines, 11 months of the year. Ret-

ail trade was off 7 per cent; post-

al receipts still below 1929; foreign

trade continued to decline; 81 per

cent less new capital was floated

than last year; short-term credit

continued abundant but about 2

per cent cheaper.

More Insurance Sold.

The public's rejuvenated saving

propensities were reflected in

Christmas saving funds, exceeding

\$400,000,000, of which 38 per cent

was calculated to go into holiday

spending, and new life insurance

written at a rate leading to a year's

total of \$12,500,000,000—\$1,100,-

000,000 higher than the average of

the past five years. Savings de-

posits of all kinds were higher and

the life insurance companies held

almost \$6,000,000,000 of mortgage

loans.

While collections were holding

up well, installment buying was be-

ing curtailed and a higher rate of

delinquencies appeared in agricul-

tural sections. This was termed

"not disturbing."

The construction industries were

way off, a more than half billion

drop in private construction swam-

ping the \$200,000,000 increase of

public works and utility expansion.

Sympathetically, cement production

dropped 20 per cent, lumber out-

put was down, brick shipments

were 50 per cent below last year.

The Government investment of

the National University. Many

prominent lawyers, physicians and

politicians, said to be on the list,

have left for the interior to evade

arrest.

Gen. Eugenio Molinari, Secretary

of Education, announced that he

not only would all teachers of the

university, provincial high schools and

normal schools who signed the

manifesto be arrested, but their

accrued salaries would be withheld.

The Government investigation of

Communism and seditious activi-

ties has struck a hitch with resig-

nation of the two special judges

empowered to pass on all charges.

Dr. Salazar and Dr. Quesada,

both of whom said so many per-

sonal friends and relatives had

been brought before them that they

preferred not to act.

KILLED BY BOMB SENT  
AS A CHRISTMAS PACKAGEPennsylvania Miner Fatally Hurt  
as He Opens Bomb; Wife's  
Arm Blown Off.

By Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 15.—

Finding what apparently was a

Christmas package on his porch

yesterday, Joseph Mastelka, 49

years old, a miner, rushed into the

house with it and called his wife.

While they were unwrapping the

timed red and green paper, the

package exploded, Mastelka was

blown into another room, killed in-

stantly. His wife, her left arm cov-

ered with burns, fell near the table.

The bomb, which had been sent to

him by the post office, was a

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**SOLD** NEW YORK, Dec.

COMPARATIVE STOCK MARKET AV		
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.....		90.8

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riday	125.3	103.4	1
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years ago		123.1	1
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h (1930)	117.0	167.8	3
v (1930)	252.8	117.7	1
h (1929)	141.3		

Range for 29-1930		Stocks and Dividends in Dollars.	Annual Sales in 100s.	High for Days
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%	x8%	Abtibi P & P ..	2	9%
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79	Advance Rume ...	1	3%
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%	Air Reduc 4 1/2 B ..	145	93%
77	Air Way E A .60 ..	4	9%
x8%	Ajax Rub .....	10	%
x%	Alaska Jun 40 ..	157	6%
4%	Alleghany Corp ..	7	%
x7%	Allegh Steel 2.80b ..	2	40%
40	Al Chem & Dye 6a ..	62	18%
140	Al Ch & D pfd 7 ..	4	121%
119%	Al Chm Mfg 3 ..	97	33%

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42%	x13	Alpha Corp 2	34	19
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2%	19%	Ab A Cr pf cfs	2	19
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357	x57	Am Bank N pf 3	2	3
69%	x3	Am Beet Sugar	1	16
20%	x16%	Am Bosch Chem	1	32
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126%	x30	Am Car & F pf 7		7 33
129	x75	Am Chain 3		4 38
67%	x32%	Am Chiclc 3B		2 17
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42%	x7%	Am HI & L pf	1	497
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## YOUTHFUL VISITORS AT WHITE HOUSE



Mrs. Herbert Hoover, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Herbert Hoover Jr., and her two children, Peggy Anne and Herbert III, out on the lawn with two of the President's canine pets.

## TWO BAY STATE JUDGES



For the first time in its 300 years, Massachusetts now has two women nominated for the bench. Above, Mrs. Emma Fall Schofield, of Malden; below, Mrs. Sadie Litner Shulman of Boston.

## JAPAN'S LATEST EARTHQUAKE



One of the demolished houses in town on Izu Peninsula, where 60 persons lost their lives.



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Mrs. Victor Bruce greeted at airdrome near Tokio, Japan, after her flight across Europe and Asia in leisurely hope. She left England, Sept. 25.



Frank Crilley, champion diver of the U. S. Navy, who is member of crew which will go with explorer on his trip to north polar regions in submarine Nautilus.



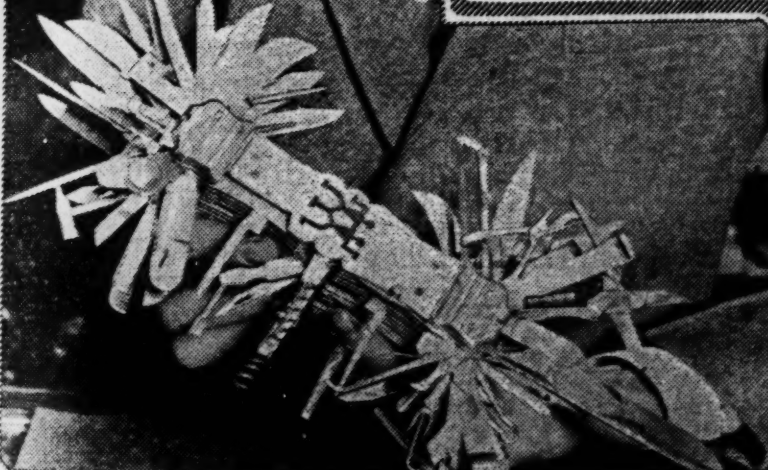
Ruin of a home on the Izu Peninsula, Japan, where 250 natives lost their lives in earthquake.

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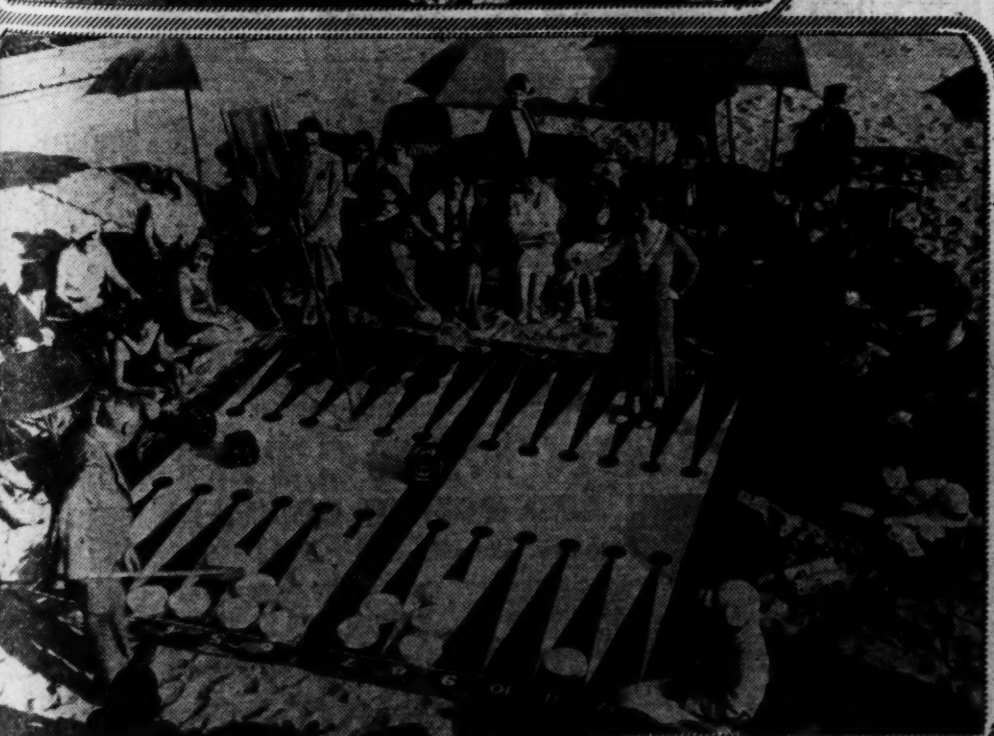
Nahide Hanoum, elected to the National Assembly by the town of Konia.

## KNIFE WITH 92 BLADES



It resembles a miniature hardware store with its various cutting tools, magnifying glass, clippers, files, saw, and other implements.

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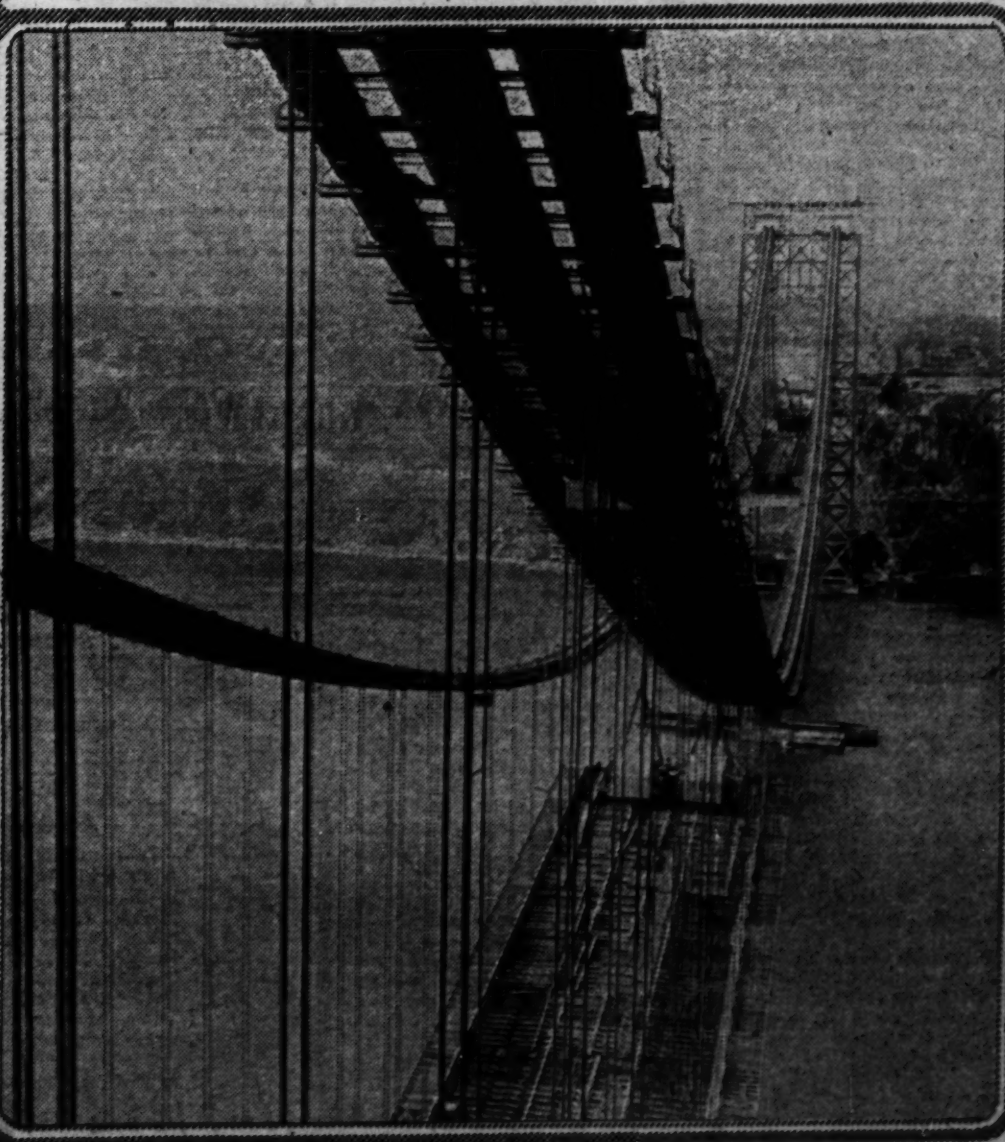
Out at Santa Monica, Cal., where everybody has plenty of time, the members of the Miramar Club staged this outdoor contest of what is ordinarily an innocuous indoor game.

## YOUTHFUL COACH BUILDER



Joseph H. Ehrhardt of St. Louis, who won for himself a trip to Europe by his skill in constructing a model airplane, is now a contestant in the Fisher coach-building competition.

## RAPID PROGRESS ON HUDSON RIVER BRIDGE



View of supporting cables and a part of the 120-foot roadbed for highway connecting New York City and New Jersey.



## STYLES

New Weaves Will Feature Materials for Use in Spring.

By RUTH DORRIS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. SEEK out the odd and the new in weaves ranging from cottons to evening silks if you would have observers place the proper estimate upon your talents in the matter of dressing.

The art of weaving has come into its own. Wherefore, the glorification of springtime fabrics lies in the variety of their weaves rather than in their printed design.

It is not my intention to soft pedal prints for they are in the picture and decidedly so. Yet, in this ever-changing pageant of fashions, the weaves now is the thing.

One must, therefore, be something of an expert in textiles to appreciate fully the new materials with which we are to be clothed presently. Even a little knowledge of this sort will go a long way in guiding women toward the better qualities and away from the shoddy, however much the latter is glossed and disguised.

Printed crepes have an unquestioned resort and spring future. It is common knowledge that there is something in the average woman's psychology which makes her turn to a gayly printed fabric when she is wearied with winter and longs for spring. Hence the present interest of textile designers in the printed pattern.

THERE are always innumerable women who are looking ahead in fashions and seeking that indefinable thing called distinction in dress. It is they who herald with pleasure the approach of a new trend in materials.

Especially in sports attire is a fresh weave acceptable. Shantuns, show rougher surfaces, there are jacquard end-to-end crepes, heavy basket weave silks, silk serges, shirting stripes, ratine and sponge types, silk and synthetic, silk and woolen mixtures, all of which fit perfectly into the prevailing mood.

Plain colors have equal prestige with prints for street wear. The former are likely to remain in the category of high styles, while the latter possess sufficient diversity to give almost every woman an opportunity to don a print and look different from her neighbor (or worse still, someone else's neighbor).

Fabrics for evening show the influence of the weaver, too. Sheer chiffons and georgettes now come in double- and triple weight. Pure dye flat crepes, either printed or plain, and the fine chiffons offer outstandingly smart in formal dress.

A newcomer in the realm of diaphanous materials is silk organza, lovely when printed and just as charming in plain, delicate pastels. Wonder of wonders, it may be washed. The tub evening frock is something for which women have longed these past decades.

Chiffons are fascinating. In the double warp genre they are plain, sometimes they are printed, and again show woven or faconne designs.

WOOLENS likewise rely upon intricacy of weave and indefinite patterning for novelty rather than upon the multicolors of past springs and summers. This season the colors of woens occupy the same place in the scheme of things as do silks. There are similar delicate pastel tints, and the high shades will play a part as well.

Although plainer fabrics are predominant in woens, there are checks and crossbar effects for a cheer. Rough surfaced woens are undeniably important, as are ratine yarns. Boucle surfaces likewise add to the interest roughened fabrics create.

What was at first a mere whisper is now rising rapidly to a crescendo—that twill, reps and even serges will be high in fashion. Faconnes or woven motifs on light-weight woolen dress materials are also seen in new collections. It is reasonable to expect the popular woolen town frock of winter to take on a lighter weight for street use in the early spring. What could then be more appropriate than a navy blue or a black twill, rep or a serge?

COTTONS have also attained a greater significance by virtue of their varied and intricate weaves. Cotton meshes, tweeds woven with yarns almost as heavy as those in wool tweeds, the sponge and ratine cottons, and the sheerest of sheer voiles exert an appeal upon even those who have scoffed at this type of material.

The meshes are making their appearance in varied forms. One novelty is reminiscent of a mesh coat of mail. Others of creper texture have synthetic yarns used in cross dye effect.

There is a new styling evident in cotton prints. Many dark grounds are seen which promise much for spring and summer street apparel. And there is variety and beauty of color almost unknown to this medium.

Faconnes are to be found in both the sheer and the opaque weaves. Cotton tweeds of heavy soft yarns have made a great bid to designers who have given them recognition.

## Extra Supplies.

Have you a few extra fuses and several extra electric light bulbs prepared against that inevitable time when a fuse will blow and a bulb wear out? They are important supplies that should be on hand in every home.

## 24 HOURS By Louis Bromfield

## CHAPTER EIGHTEEN.

IT wasn't Rosie's first experience with a drunk. Before she was 22 she had learned all the tricks of managing a man heavier than herself who was heavy with the heaviness of intoxication, and because drunkenness was a spectacle to which she was accustomed it held no terrors for her but only a kind of boredom.

When men got like Jim Wilson they became nuisances. Even McBurn, watching her idly without knowing who she was, steeled Jim across the sidewalk before the house where she lived was aware of her skill and filled with admiration.

It was a respectable old brownstone house built by a lawyer of the seventies to house his respectable family, but after his death the estate had turned it for greater profit into two flats with a shop in the basement. It was a discreet house, for there was no doorman and no janitor, and the shop on the basement floor was always closed by seven.

On the second floor lived a rich invalid who spent most of his time in Florida or California, and so there was no one to suspect Rosie's free-and-easy manner of living, no one to remark rather strange people who came and went, no one to discover that her "friend Mr. Wilson" was really Mr. James Haven Townner, and no one to complain when things happened like Tony's smashing against her furniture or bits.

Propping the half-conscious Jim against the wall by the letter boxes she managed with one hand to turn the key in the lock of the outer door and to switch on the light.

WHEN she had got him safely inside and had made certain that the lock had clicked shut (for she was still afraid that Tony might return to kill them both) she managed to put the body before her and to push it slowly up the stairs.

It took her more than half an hour to get him up the two flights. At the top she again propped him against the wall and with one hand turned the key in the lock of the green painted door.

As she opened it he fell inside on the floor of the little vestibule, softly, like a man made of rubber, and lay there, insensible. She closed and locked the door and, leaving him on the floor where he could come to no harm, she switched on the lights. They were all capped with little shades made of rose pink silk and gave the place a queer look of tawdry gaiety like the inside of a cheap night club.

The vestibule was planned to open into the sitting room of the flat, but because Rosie had found the bedroom too small for her tastes, she had reversed the roles of the two rooms so that now one entered the bedroom directly from the little hall.

The whole room was done in pale pink and blue satin taffeta and trimmed with a great deal of gold lace. There was an enormous bed which stood on a little platform with a table beside it supporting a telephone concealed by a doll clad in an elaborate costume of pale pink and blue lace.

There was also a bottle of whiskey and a syphon.

HE could put Jim to bed in the parlor and lock him in there and then if Tony had led to her and still had the keys and returned, Jim at least would be safe from him until she could scream and summon help.

Rosie's idea of elegance concentrated itself entirely upon Italian antiques, and as she switched on the lights in the parlor there sprang from the darkness an indescribable clutter of heavy furniture carved in the overexcited Italian fashion and designed in their originals for a room at least 50 times the size and the height of Rosie's parlor.

At one end of the room there was a divan, also covered by a vestment embroidered in purple and gold, and heaped with pillows of a dozen colors and shapes, all embroidered and trimmed with black and gold lace. She piled the pillows at one end and then went to fetch Jim.

She found him still lying on the floor of the vestibule. He was sleeping soundly by now and she had great trouble in waking him. At last, half dragging, half lifting him, she got him into the parlor and on the divan, where he lay sprawled with one arm hanging over the side and a silly grin on his face.

She took off his collar and removed the emerald studs from his shirt front, laying them on top of the divan. Then she dragged him overcoat from him and threw it over him and went to fetch from her bedroom a quilt of pink satin trimmed with lace and embroidered with pale blue flowers.

IT was made for a large double bed and she was able to tuck it in about him so that he would not grow cold during the night, but in spite of anything, she could do the feet kept sticking out, exposing grotesquely the patent leather boots.

After trying again and again to cover them, she gave up at last and, taking off the boots, covered the silk-clad feet with her mink coat.

Then, so that his head might not be too bad tomorrow, she went to the window and opened it a lit-



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tle way, just enough to admit fresh air, but not enough to allow the snow to blow in. At the window she stood for a moment looking out into the churchyard when the snow blew wildly round and round the quadrangle enclosed by brownstone houses, all dark at this hour of the morning.

The fresh air made her feel a little better, and when she had breathed deeply for a time, she returned to the divan and stood looking down at the unconscious Jim, filled with no sense of repulsion but with a sense of pity that a man so good looking and possessed of so fine a physique should have fallen into such a state of dissolution. It always made her feel a little sick to see a fine man destroying himself with liquor.

Tony was her sort. He wasn't a gentleman, kind and considerate, even when he was drunk like Jim. She couldn't ever really love him because there wasn't anything exciting about him. And again she told herself sharply that it was all finished with Tony, and that it wasn't any use trying to bring back the past and pretend that he'd ever again be like the Tony who'd got her into trouble.

With a sigh she turned, switched off the lights and went into the bedroom, where she threw herself down in the big chair upholstered in black satin and poured herself another drink. As she raised the glass to her lips she thought, "My God, how tired I am! Everything's a mess. Why in hell do I go on?"

She thought, "Why don't I just take a big glass of veronal and call it a day?"

BUT she couldn't do that because she did the old man wouldn't have any money and what a fool she had been not to have had the lock changed before now. The key turned.

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## GENEVA

Brief Sketches of Women Delegates to the League of Nations.

By MARTHA GELLHORN.

GENEVA, Dec. 2.

A SMALL woman, with short, curly gray hair, sat wrapped in an ulster on her balcony in the Hotel de la Paix. A breakfast tray stood on a table nearby. Four newspapers lay on the floor on one side of her chair. These she had read. Four lay on the other side, to be looked at later. Mrs. Irene Paribby, at 8 o'clock in the morning with her day's work one hour under way.

Mrs. Paribby is Minister, without portfolio, in the Province of Alberta, Canada, one of the two women in the Government in her country. She is a delegate from Canada to the League of Nations.

Born in London, some 45 years ago, Mrs. Paribby migrated to India with her father when she was very young. She went from India to Canada in 1894, to visit and never returned. Western Canada in those days was a pioneer country, wild and beautiful. It won her imagination and her loyalty. Mrs. Paribby met her husband, an Oxford man who, like herself, had felt the lure of new lands, in Alberta. He was a rancher.

The "B Pluribus Unum" which graces our silver dollars, was a creed which the ranchers and farmers of Alberta adopted and practiced. An organization, the United Farmers of Alberta, grew up, immediately followed by the United Farm Women. These groups were formed for the very practical purpose of self-preservation; of making the economic conditions of life endurable. And from 1915 until 1919, Mrs. Paribby was president of the United Farm Women of Alberta.

IN 1921, this organization decided to take political action and therefore nominated its candidate, Mrs. Paribby, to the Alberta Parliament. She was elected with a substantial majority, and became at once minister without portfolio. The other activities of the League bring people together and teach them to work in co-operation which is most desirable, of course. I've always believed in the League. When I came in 1925 and saw Brand and Bernard talking together in the corridor of the Assembly Hall, I felt I had seen some sort of crystallization of the work in international understanding which the League is effecting. When I got back to Canada, I attempted to interpret the League to my countrymen. We are so far away in America that it is harder to understand the League and to realize its accomplishments.

Mrs. Paribby was standing up, looking across the lake to the distant dimness of snow which is Mont Blanc. She holds herself very straight, a small, wiry woman with keen eyes and a subtle irony in her speech. For a moment, as she talked quietly of her belief in the League, the western ranchwoman appeared. In the set of her jaw one saw the endless energy of a woman who is not afraid to fight hard battles.

There was even the sound of metal scratching against metal as someone fumbled with the key to find the lock. She thought wildly what a fool she had been not to have had the lock changed before now. The key turned. She knew then that it was Tony coming back to kill her.

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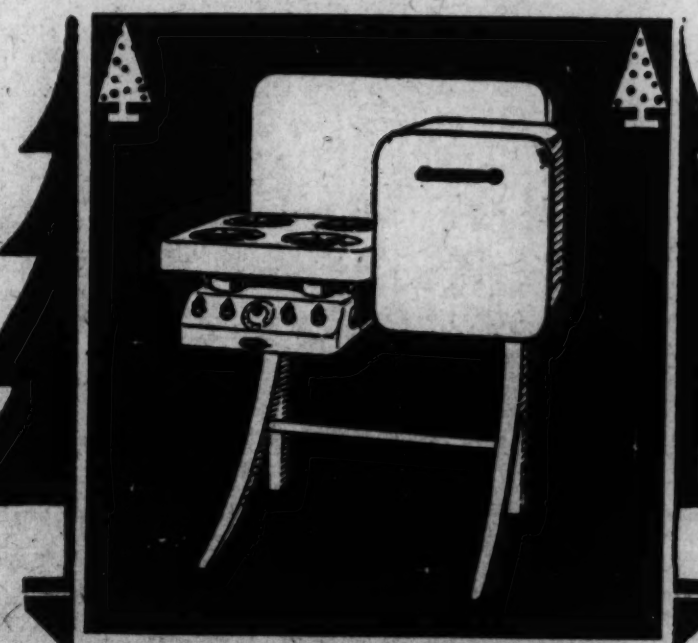
Norma Shearer in a light tan lapin coat which she chose for wear over a woolen frock.

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## HEALTH

Brief articles prepared by experts. Edited by Dr. Japs Goldstein, for the New York Academy of Medicine.

## Wood Alcohol

WOOD alcohol has long been known as a poisonous substance. If taken internally it will produce severe illness, ending sometimes in blindness.

Cases are known in which a quantity as small as a teaspoonful of this poison may enter the human body, wood alcohol is none the less toxic, for it is not easily eliminated—hence it accumulates and in the end produces the same effects as a single large dose of the poison.

In chronic poisoning from wood alcohol, the early symptoms are usually dizziness, headache, muscular weakness and a dimness or fogging before the eyes.

The susceptibility to wood alcohol poisoning differs with different persons. Some are extremely sensitive, so a very minute quantity will make them seriously ill.

The alcohol is also poisonous when inhaled as a vapor. In industry, wood alcohol is used in shellac, varnish, paint and varnish removers, in celluloid manufacture, and in the production of dyes and explosives.

It has been estimated that in the United States 2,500,000 workers are exposed to wood alcohol, either through inhalation or through direct contact.

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## Burning

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## CHAPTER THIRTY

JINNY, on her knees beside the book, Jinny, so Michael—could But the book was not burned, on carbons to match them. But Virginia had had only one thought—Rickey, room—Mrs. Barlow, the landlady, the Michael.

"He is very ill," Virginia whispered. "I know. Dearest, let him be placed for him. And you'd like his place."

"Yes, but he'd hate it."

"Why need he know? I'll go to the two of you and the nurse."

SHE allowed herself at last to be persuaded, and before night it was all accomplished. Rickey was in Michael's great bed with its crimson canopy, and Virginia sat in her mother's ladder-back chair in front of Michael's fireplace.

Michael from the other side of the fireplace was saying: "And now you have nothing more to think about ever, but getting Rickey well, you know."

"How shall I ever thank you, Michael?"

"By loving me."

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"Yes. But he doesn't care." "Why doesn't he care?"

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# HEALTH

Brief articles prepared by experts. Edited by Dr. J. J. Galdston, for the New York Academy of Medicine.

## Wood Alcohol

WOOD alcohol has long been known as a poisonous substance. It taken internally it will produce severe illness, ending sometimes in blindness.

Cases are known in which a quantity as small as a teaspoonful as caused loss of vision. The alcohol affects the fibers of the optic nerve through which the most direct and acute vision is had.

Wood alcohol belongs to the class known as accumulative poisons. Even though minute quantities of its poison may enter the human body, wood alcohol is none the less toxic for it is not easily eliminated—hence it accumulates and in the end produces the same effects as a single large dose of the poison.

In chronic poisoning from wood alcohol, the early symptoms are usually dizziness, headache, muscular weakness and a dimness or blindness before the eyes.

The susceptibility to wood alcohol poisoning differs with different persons. Some are extremely sensitive, so a very minute quantity will make them seriously ill.

The alcohol is also poisonous when inhaled as a vapor. In industry, wood alcohol is used in kettles, varnish, paint and varnish removers, in cellulose manufacture, and in the production of dyes and explosives.

It has been estimated that in the United States 2,500,000 workers are exposed to wood alcohol, either through inhalation or through direct contact.

There has recently been discovered a way for making wood alcohol synthetically. Formerly it was still from wood. Now it can be produced by the combination of carbon monoxide gas and hydrogen.

The synthetic wood alcohol is much cheaper in cost and there is very probability that its use will be extended.

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# Burning Beauty

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JINNY, on her knees beside the couch, cried, "Rickey, Rickey."

He opened eyes which saw nothing and murmured, "I burned the book, Jinny, so Michael—couldn't have it."

But the book was not burned, only a few pages, and there were carbons to match them. But Virginia did not care about the book. She had only one thought—Rickey. People came and went in the room—Mrs. Barlow, the landlady, the doctor, a nurse, and at last Michael.

"He is very ill," Virginia whispered to her lover.

"I know. Dearest, let him be moved to my rooms, this is no place for him. And you'd like his being there better than in a hospital."

"Yes, but he'd hate it."

"Why need he know? I'll go to the hotel and give the place up to the two of you and the nurses."

HE allowed herself at last to be persuaded, and before night it was all accomplished. Rickey was in Michael's great bed with his crimson canopy, and Virginia sat in front of Michael's fireplace. Michael from the other side of the fireplace was saying: "And now you have nothing more to think about; ever, but getting Rickey well."

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# APPLES... 5c

## Unemployed Men, Selling Fruit on Downtown Corners, Find Warm Sympathy in Patrons.

APPLE vendors—jobless men making a living for the first time in months—find a warm current of human sympathy in the crowds passing their corners on St. Louis streets.

"Say, I never realized before how decent the average fellow is," one apple seller remarked, "and I ever get on my feet again, you can bet I'll try to do something to help somebody else."

"Why, there's a policeman over there who's bought so many apples. Lots of office workers are regular customers at lunch time. Women shoppers are pretty good, too. Take a woman, now, she's apt to buy three or four apples and take them away in a bag."

"A man buys one usually. Sometimes he'll start right in to eat it, but generally he sticks it in his pocket."

Five minutes at a vendor's corner during the noon rush discloses a varied assortment of patrons, a cross section of the city's populace.

A busy man takes an apple, hurries on, often with the remark that he hopes soon to be able to hire more men in his business.

A dignified woman, with rimless eye glasses, pauses, buys two apples and stops to talk. She asks about the seller's family waiting at home eager to see what luck the day has brought; she assures herself all have warm underwear.

Then she walks on, her face falling into impersonal lines.

An old man with cheeks of Santa Claus—rudeness buys a bag of apples—for his grandchildren, he says.

"My teeth won't let me eat 'em," he chuckles, "but when I was a boy down on the farm—well, there was no stopping me."

A WOMAN groomed apparently for an afternoon tea, takes two apples, gives them back, smiles and passes on. Apple sellers do not ask donations—most of them say they're only too thankful not to be objects of charity—but they do not have to refuse them.

Leaving his stand across the streets, a newsboy darts up, gets his apple, hastens back to his papers. A woman laden with bundles, clutching a big knitted bag, eyes kindly behind horn rimmed spectacles, crams an apple in her bag, passes on. A diamond ring winks from the finger of a florid-faced man in a pin striped suit who looks at the apples, but he is more used to dealing cards than eating apples. But he buys a couple, with the remark, "Keep the change, brother."

A clergyman stops for an apple. Two school children, books in hand, divide an apple and munch it as they walk on down the street.

asked, and put his arm about her. She welcomed him with a little cry, while Rickey said, "So you thought you could fool me, McMillan looking down at his eyes had still that brightness in his eyes. "We felt this would be better than the hospital. It is, isn't it, Oliphant?"

"I had known it was yours I'd rather have stayed in the attic," rather about himself. If he goes, he goes alone. You shall not go with him."

There was a moment's silence, then Virginia turned to him and buried her face in his coat. "So you are giving her orders," Rickey flung out.

"They are better orders than yours, aren't they?"

It was a quiet question, steadily put, and Rickey did not know how to answer it. At last he blustered, "What do you mean?"

"You've always demanded things of her. You have never thought of her happiness. You aren't thinking of it now. You are thinking of your hurt vanity. You have nothing against me except that I told you the truth about Burning Beauty—that it was not worthy of your talent. You knew it was not worthy. You know it now."

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Plants for Windows

WINDOW bows are now popular and after Christmas many a window will have one of these bows, containing a spray or two of growing English ivy, suspended in the window.

You can have a hanging vine in the sunny kitchen window that will be quite as attractive. Hunt up a fancy-shaped wide-necked bottle or jar, paint the inside to match the kitchen color scheme; when dry fill three-quarters full of cold water and put in a small sweet potato, then hang it in the window.

It will not be long before you will notice a delicate vine coming out of the bottle and this will spread into a pretty ivy-like vine—that is, if you do not forget to add fresh water when necessary, probably every other day.

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It is the rank and file of everyday citizens who have surprised even the most optimistic of the apple sellers.

A group of girls pass, arm in arm. "Wait until after we leave the movies," one of them calls.

So it goes. Rich and poor, men and women of all walks of life, buy apples, linger for a word of encouragement, a touch of sympathy.

"Polks is folks, after all," said one salesman. "I get all kinds. Business men, lawyers, society women, girls working in stores. Even a few show girls. I never thought about it before but they are a good deal alike."

"You can't tell a thing by looks. Some regular old frozen faces turn out to be fine fellows."

SOME of the sellers tell of well dressed men who patronize them with the remark they used to walk the streets in vain search of work before the tide of circumstances turned their way.

Have Hangers Handy

HAVE a place for the children to hang their outer garments and have the hooks low enough for them to reach. They will like to hang up their own coats, etc.

When it ceases to be a novelty they may become lax, by persistence on the mother's part will soon establish the habit and the children will just naturally hang up their wearing apparel when they come indoors.

Stretch a piece of heavy wire on the lower part of the closet door or wherever the children hang their outer garments, and have snapper clothespins on the wire line. These will keep caps, mittens, rubbers, sweaters, etc., off the floor and they can always be found when wanted.

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## DAILY STORY FOR CHILDREN

By Mary Graham Bonner

### Queer Companions

THE Little Black Clock was waiting for John and Peggy.

"When are we going back to see Santa Claus again?" Peggy asked.

"That was a great trip with the reindeer," John added, "and what dandy boats and trains and everything else Santa Claus had made. I have made a new list of what I want."

"So have I," said Peggy.

"We'll go up there again, very soon," the Little Black Clock said. "But tonight I'm going to use my magic so we can see some very queer companions."

"We have to go down the path and then turn a corner one way and then turn another corner the other way. We'll get there in a very short time."

"I'm thankful you're going to show us the way," John said.

"We'll start right away," laughed the Little Black Clock as he thought of the queer directions he had given of how they were to get to his friends.

They followed the Little Black Clock until they reached a place which seemed to be all upside down and topsy-turvy.

There were a number of funny little people around, and when they saw Little Black Clock they shouted with delight.

"We're so glad you could come. It's so good of you to let us be your friends, too."

Never had John and Peggy seen such queer little people. They seemed to get mixed up about everything, too, and they always seemed to be forgetting things or rushing around saying:

"We're late, we're late."

Some looked as though everything might have been going quite the wrong way, while others looked as though they were trying to straighten things out a bit.

"What are their names?" John and Peggy asked as the Little Black Clock was about to whisper something to them.

"They're the Mistakes and Excuses," the Little Black Clock answered. "You'll meet them all now."

Easier on the Pockets.

When sewing pockets on children's suits or rompers, set them low enough that the little fingers cannot reach to the bottom of the pocket. Then the hands cannot be pushed so far into them to tear them off.

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# TWO ROBBERS TRAPPED, KILL THEMSELVES; OFFICER SHOT

Three Others, One of Them  
Wounded, Captured After  
Fight in Cornfield  
Near Sidell, Southwest of  
Danville, Ill.

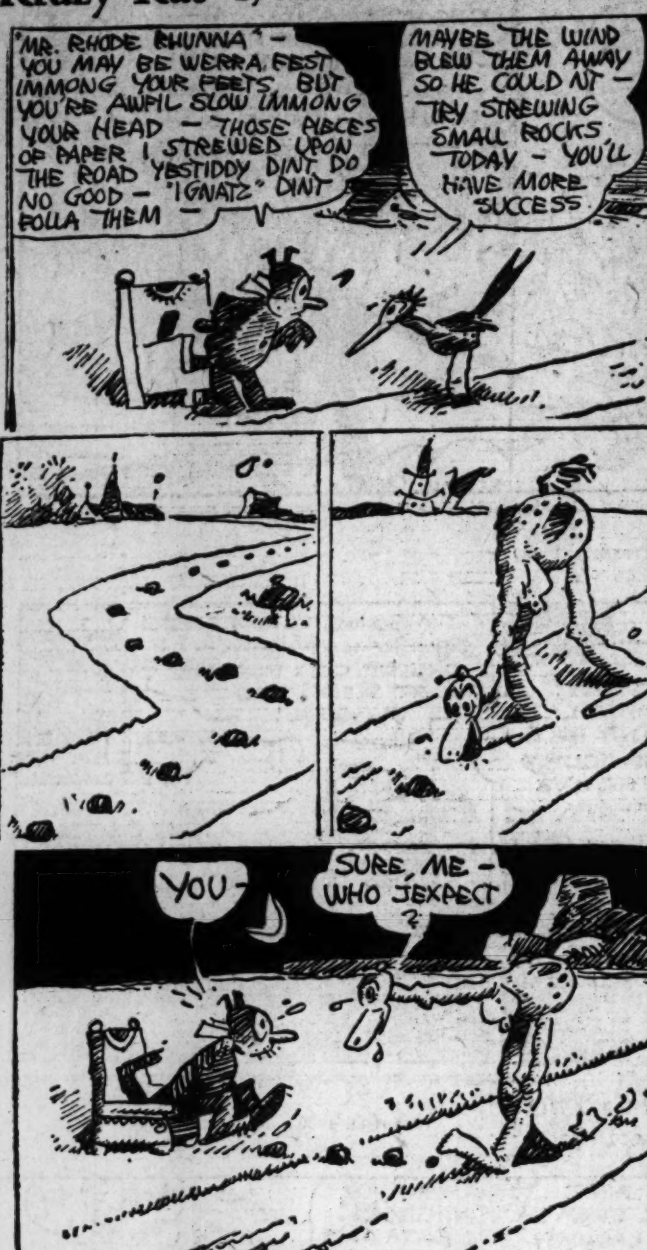
## \$15,000 TAKEN IN HOLDUP RECOVERED

Automobile Chase Leads  
Over Illinois State Line  
From Clinton, Ind.,  
Where Depository Was  
Looted.

By the Associated Press.  
SIDELL, Ill., Dec. 16.—Trapped in a cornfield after a chase across the State line, two members of a gang that had held up a bank killed themselves. A third was wounded and two others were captured today on the Leo Moody farm, near here. This place is 25 miles southwest of Danville.  
The loot they had taken from the Citizens' State Bank of Clinton, Ind., estimated by the bank at \$15,000, was recovered in a brief case they tossed from their car.  
Joe Walker, 32, special deputy sheriff of Dana, Ind., was shot and wounded seriously as he chased the fugitives near Dana, Ind. He is now in a Terre Haute (Ind.) hospital.  
A posse under Sheriff Ernie Boetta of Clinton, Ind., pursued the robbers across the line into Illinois and finally overtook them northwest of Sidell. Running out of gasoline, Sheriff Boetta's posse commandeered another automobile, overtaking the robbers at the Moody farm.  
The robbers jumped from their car and scattered. Three fled into a field, where they were surrounded by the deputies, bank officers and farmers. The man wounded was thought to be E. A. Hunter of Clinton or Terre Haute. When the officers closed in they heard two shots, and found the bodies of the two robbers near their wounded companion. The officers said the men had shot themselves.  
Two were found hiding in sheds. Fleeing from Clinton after the morning robbery, the robbers' car broke down near Dana, Ind. They stopped J. R. Frisk, retired auctioneer of Dana, forced him to alight and drove away in his car. Later they abandoned the automobile and continued their flight in a truck stolen from F. W. Gilbert, a cattle man.  
At Dana the chase was picked up by Joseph Walker in a small car driven by Omar Hamm. As the pursuers closed in the fugitives set up a machine gun in the truck and fired. Walker, standing up in the rear of the open car, was struck by a bullet. Hamm turned around and took him back to Dana.  
Walker was taken to a Terre Haute hospital and Sheriff Boetta continued the chase to the Moody farm.  
One of the dead men had in his pocket an account book bearing the name H. D. Wilson of Chicago. He was about 50 years old. The other dead robber was between 40 and 45, weighing about 240 pounds and more than 6 feet tall. The robbers handed \$500 in gold to Frisk in return for his car.  
PITTSBURG BANK  
ROBBED OF \$50,000  
By the Associated Press.  
PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 16.—Flourishing revolvers and sawed-off shotguns, three men held up the Manchester Savings Bank and Trust Co. here today and escaped with loot estimated at \$50,000. The robbery was the third bank holdup in the Pittsburgh district within 10 days.  
The robbers covered about 30 employees of the bank and of the Superior Fire Insurance Co., which has offices adjoining the bank, and compelled the paying teller to go to the vault and open it. Several customers were in the bank.  
The robbery occurred half an hour after the bank opened for business. The robbers were described as young men.  
G. C. Gerwig, president of the bank, said the robbers had obtained about \$50,000 in currency. An attempt was made by Adam Hoffman, manager of the real estate department, to go to the second floor and tell the telephone operators to call police. One of the robbers struck him on the head with a revolver and inflicted a slight injury. Hoffman made a second attempt and gave the alarm, but the robbers had gone by the time police arrived.

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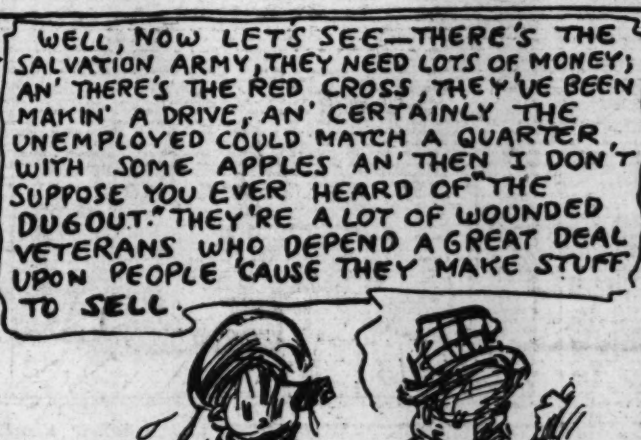


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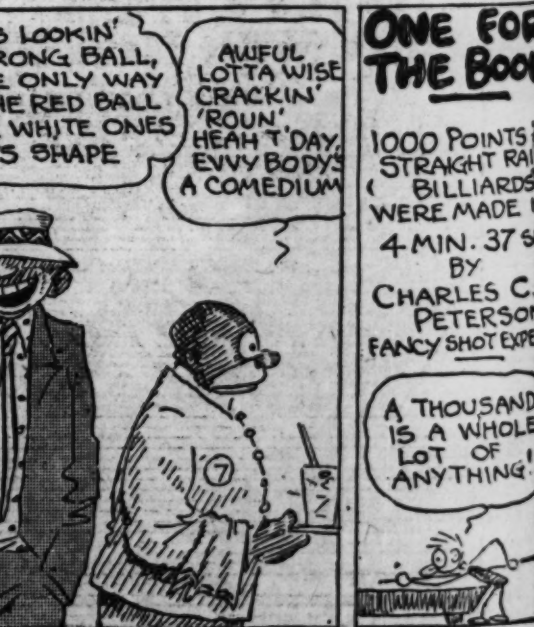
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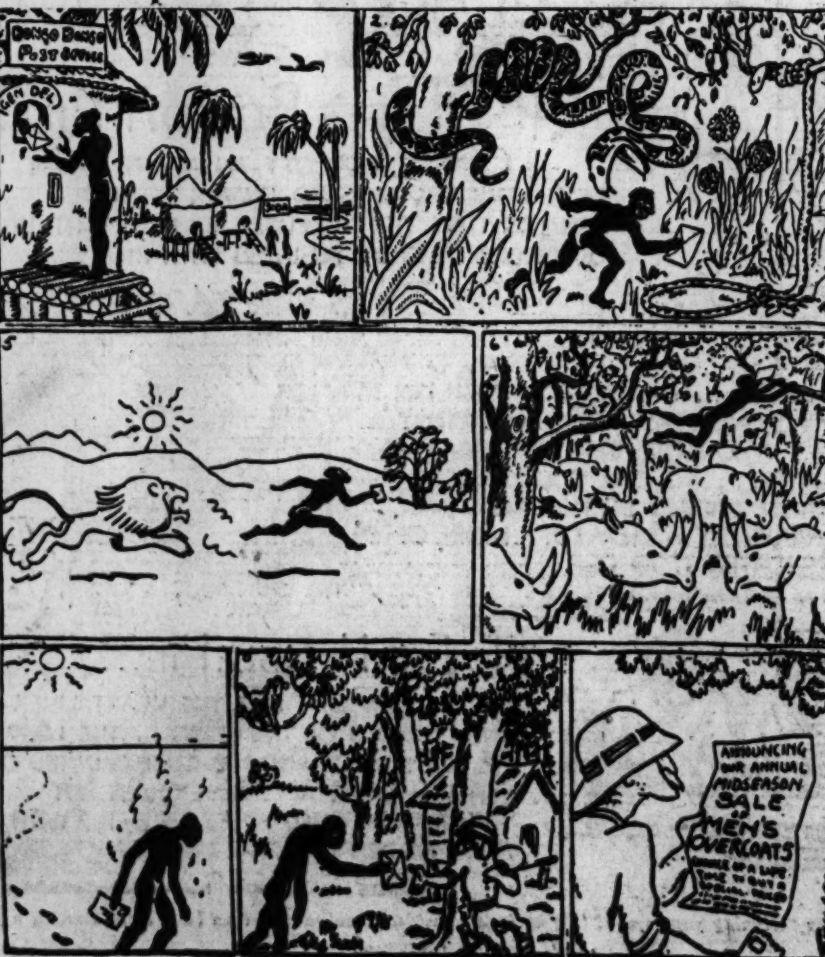
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